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IN INSINCERE FIGHT

REPUBLICANS INSINCERE FIGHT TO REDISTRICT STATE

MORE THAN 500 BILLS IN

Bills by Legislators Affect Everything From Justice of Peace Court to Amending the Holy Writ.

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 28.—Despite the advice of Seldon P. Spencer and a section of the Constitution of Missouri that state senatorial districts cannot be changed at this session of the legislature, some Republican members are endeavoring to not only block all moves toward a new constitution, but all remedial legislation offered for this session.

It is known that Senator Spencer has given it as his opinion that the state cannot be re-districted at this time, but the Senator has advised also that his opinion regarding the matter should be kept quiet because of the political effect that talk of a pill of this character will have on Republican members of the legislature.

The effort to line all Republicans against the wholesome recommendations of Governor Frederick D. Gardner is having but little effect, a number of Republican members declare.

The constitution provides that the senatorial districts be formed at the "first session of the legislature after each census and if not then by the governor, attorney general and secretary of state within thirty days after the adjournment of the session."

One of the warm fights of the session will come up over a bill providing for capital punishment in the state, introduced by Senator Von Mayes of Pemiscot county. This form of punishment was abolished by a close vote two years ago. Senator Mayes declares that some club must be held over persons sentenced to prison for life who kill for the remotest chance of escape.

More than 500 bills have been introduced thus early in the session. They affect everything from justices of the peace court to amending the Holy Writ.

Members of the House are endeavoring to find some way to clear the large number of negroes out of the cloak rooms, who are draking $3.50 per day, in order that members may get their coats and hats. The negroes were placed on the payroll by the Republican members from St. Louis.

In addition to raising enough money by indirect taxation, without raising taxes in the state, to pay an indebtedness of $2,077,356.95 Governor Gardner, Attorney General McAllister and Treasurer Middlekamp increased the state school fund approximately $800,000.

Secretary of State Sullivan is planning to make it mighty hard for automobile thieves. He is working on a number of bills which will reduce such thefts to the minimum. He says that when the measures are provided they will have about the same effect on car thieves as the Anti-Horse Thief Association did on horse thieves.

The old cry of mismanagement of the state penitentiary has not come up at this session of the general assembly and there has been no shortage in the earnings of that institution regardless of the claims made by friends of the contract system at the last session. A report by W. R. Painter, J. Kelly Pool and Henry Andrae, who compose the prison board, shows that regardless of the increased cost of foodstuffs and the raise in pay for guards during the past two years there is a surplus of $147,740.43. The commission has also had six gangs of convicts working on the highways of the state.

In the state oil department Omar D. Gray has not only increased the fees considerably, but he has caused the gasoline agents to give full measure by having his deputy inspectors to drop in on them and test their measuring guages.

Notice

My office in the Farmers Trust Building over Kessler's Hardware Co., will open March 1st. Until then may be found at my residence, 515 S. Market St. Phones, Farmers 239; Hanamo 418½.

DR. H. S. ROWLETT, M. D.

h... SENTATIVE JOB'S PLAN

Proposal to Have Semi-Session of Legislature Each Year Discussed by St. Louis Republic.

"Representative Job's proposal to amend the Constitution so as to provide for a sort of semisession of the Legislature each year instead of a whole session biennially interests us," says the St. Louis Republic. "All of the other proposals before the Legislature, bills and joint resolutions, are old straw, but here is something brand new.

"Under the Job plan, a session would be held one year and last 40 days It would devote itself to the introduction of bills which would be engrossed and laid aside. The next year the same Legislature would get together for 60 days and act upon the bills introduced at the preceding session. No new bills could be introduced.

"As a means for securing deliberation we are prepared to admit that the scheme would work, but if an emergency of the greatest importance, the outbreak of a war, for instance, should occur in the interim between a 40-day session and a 60-day session we don't see how the Legislature could meet it without waiting a year after the 60-day session for another 40-day session and then another year for another 60-day session when the emergency could be dealt with.

"Furthermore, we do not see how any man who loves peace and privacy once in a while could wish to be a member of the Legislature under the Job plan. Think of being bombarded by suffragists, and socialists, and single-taxers, reformers in general and persons trying to get an appropriation for the solid year that must intervene between the introduction of a bill and the time when it can be passed or killed."

$22,500 FOR 100 ACRES

Wm. Myers of Pickering, Buys Wolf Farm Southwest of Maryville.

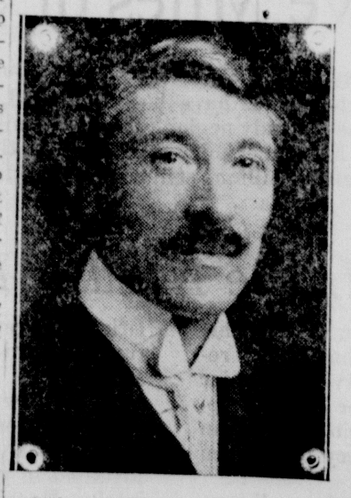
William Myers of near Pickering, yesterday purchased the 100-acre farm belonging to George A. Wolf, located three miles southwest of Maryville, the price paid was $22,500. Mr. Myers now owns two of the best improved farms located southwest of the city, having bought the Barr farm last November. Mr. Myers recently sold a farm west of Pickering, and will move to his newly acquired purchase March 1st. The sale was made by Allen Bros.

WILL AWAIT PERSHING'S RETURN

Washington, Jan. 28.—No decision on a permanent military policy for the United States will be made before General Pershing appears before the senate military affairs committee committee, it was learned this afternoon.

BERNSTORFF TO PEACE TABLE?

Berlin, via Copenhagen, Jan. 28.—Count von Bernstorff, former German ambassador to the United States and Prince Lichnowsky, former German ambassador to England will be members of the German peace delegation, it was reported today. It had previously been reported that von Bernstorff's efforts to get placed on the peace mission had failed.



Arthur M. Bienbar, well known pianist organist and composer who has charge of the advanced work at the Maryville conservatory of music in the absence of Miss Berenice Rice, who has gone to Oklahoma City, Okla., to take a similar work in the Oklahoma Musical academy.

To Move to Wyoming.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Glass and son, Frank, of Hopkins, will move this week to Carpenter, Wyo., to make their home in future. They expect to rent a farm near Carpenter.

GETS HONOR CROSS

LIEUT. ROSS De ARMOND CITED FOR GALLANTRY IN ACTION

BATTLE OF CHANPAGNE

Fighting With French Unit His Organization Became Detached and With Great Difficulty Fought Way Back.

Lieut. Ross De Armond, 369th Infantry, A. E. F., son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. De Armond of Maryville, has been awarded the French Croix de Guerre for gallantry in action last September. While fighting with a French unit the organization became detached and, with great difficulty, fought its way back to the main body.

LIEUT. ROSS DeARMOND

In the citation for the Croix de Guerre awarded the 369th, a copy of which Lieut. De Armond has sent to his parents, the French commanding general says:

"Under command of Col. Hayward, who, though injured, insisted on leading his regiment in battle, of Lieutenant Colonel Pickering, admirably cool and brave, of Major Cobb (killed), of Major Spencer (grievously wounded), of Major Little, a true leader of men, the 365th R. I. U. S., engageing in an offensive for the first time in the drive of September, 1918, stormed powerful enemy positions energetically defended, took, after heavy fighting, the town of S——, captured prisoners and brought back six cannon and a great number of machine guns."

It was Lieut. De Armond's good fortune to have a part in the battle described, being wounded on the fifth day of the offensive.

IRISH OUTRAGES CONTINUE.

London, Jan. 28.—Martial law has been proclaimed at Clongel in South Tipperary and garrisons in that town and at Oashel have been strengthened, said a dispatch from Bublin today. Organized outrages in Ireland continue and at Killigorn armed masqueraders raided houses and held up the occupants searching for arms.

SPARTACIDES IN A COUP.

Copenhagen, Jan. 28.—By a coup de etat the Spartacides at Wilhelmshaven occupied all the public buildings and all their opponents were court martialed, according to information from German today. All the railroads leading into Wilhelmshaven have stopped running.

Attends Dallas Conference.

Rev. R. C. Holliday of the Buchanan Street Methodist, went to Dallas, Tex., yesterday morning to attend a conference of the national Epworth League Conference of the M. E. Church South, which will be in session there until Thursday. Rev. Holliday expects to return Friday evening.

Charles Eckert has sold his 80 acre farm just north of Maryville, to Glen Jones. The consideration was $8,800. Possession was given immediately. The deal was made through Robey and Anderson.

ORCHESTRA DANCE

at

K. of C. HALL.

EVERY

WEDNESDAY NIGHT

DEATH OF AUGUSTA HELLER

Former Well Known Maryville Girl Dies at St. Joseph—Body Will Be Brought Here for Burial.

Miss Augusta Heller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Heller, formerly of Maryville, died yesterday at the home of her parents in St. Joseph. Death followed an illness of several years.

Miss Heller was twenty-three years old. She is survived by her parents, two sisters, Misses Mary and Clara Heller and two brothers, Willie and Paul.

Funeral services will be held in St. Joseph tomorrow morning after which the body will be brought to Maryville for burial in St. Mary's cemetery. The services here will be conducted by Rev. Father Odillo. Pallbearers will be Hilda Lahr, Gertrude Lahr, Vivian Buhler, Esther Buspy, Zella Basford, and Therese Shonley.

WRITES FROM RHINE

INTERESTING LETTER FROM FRED MESBARGER, IN GERMANY

HUNS WELCOME YANKS

Look Upon Them Not as Conquerors But as Liberators—Tells of Nodaway County Boys with Regt.

The following interesting letter from Fred Messbarger, with the American Expeditionary Forces in Germany, gives a close-up of conditions there since the armistice has been signed. His letter to the Democrat-Forum follows:

Somewhere in Germany, Dec. 21, 1918.

Wishing to keep the people of Nodaway county informed on the happenings of things in Europe as well as the whereabouts of many of the Nodaway county boys who are in service over here, I take this means through the mediumship of your paper.

Everybody over here is certainly glad the war is over and fighting has ceased, but honestly, I believe we are kept about as busy now as we were during actual hostilities. Have been on the march since Thanksgiving and since that time have traveled through part of France, Luxemburg, Belgium and part of Germany—what is known as the Rhineland province.

In travels we had ample opportunity to study the devastated country of France and Belgium. We saw miles of trenches, barb wire entanglement, dugouts and vast mine fields, numerous towns torn and devastated by both German and Allied shell fire. We also observed vast quantities of war booty, guns, trucks and war materials worth millions of dollars. All along the road from Metz to the German frontier were scattered Hun helmets and gas masks.

We were billited in towns all along the way, which was one of the conditions of the armistice. In Belgium and Luxemburg we were given a royal welcome and the people had constructed ornamental arches in all the towns with numerous flags, banners and decorations.

Have been almost two weeks in the enemies' territory and have slept in their houses and eaten at their tables, thus having opportunity to study the attitude and conditions of the people. The great change that has come over the German people in the last month is marvelous. A little over a month ago we were engaged in the death struggle with these people; now they are once more engaged in the ordinary routine of affairs, and have begun to look at the Americans not as their conquerors but as their liberators.—liberators from autocratic power.

Before American entrance into the great war, Germany looked upon the United States as the nation of only business men who could not fight. The country has shown from this side of the ocean that the most powerful government is the republican government.

The most important objects obtained by the allied victory are first, that autocracy in Europe has been suppressed by the allmighty power of democracy. Many years of fighting and invasion endured by our friends, the French, are to end in victory and the retention of territory. The people of the central empire, whether they wish it or not, will be freed from autocracy that has used them for attacks and for murder and, willingly or otherwise, made rulers of themselves. That will wipe out the autocratic cause in the center of Europe. All this is fine, but

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YELLOW PAINT CASE

ART SPEER OF RAVENWOOD ON TRIAL TODAY

TRIAL DRAWS A CROWD

Page Fite, Charged With Violating Booze Law Fails to Show Up—Bondsmen Ordered Into Court.

A jury in circuit court today began hearing evidence in the case of Art Speer, of Ravenwood, charged with paining the Platte Valley Bank at that place with yellow paint.

On October 24, last, officials of the Platte Valley Bank, on arriving at the bank in the morning, found the building, together with the windows, bedaubed with yellow paint. Later in the day Speer was arrested charged with the act. Ravenwood citizens are interested in the trial and the court room this morning was filled almost to capacity with residents of that section.

The evidence of bloodhounds used in trailing were introduced this afternoon, a representative of a St. Joseph detective agency telling of the hounds following a trail from the bank to the Speer home. The witness was given a long cross examination by attorneys for the defense.

The jury hearing the case is composed of J. A. Ford, J. W. De Witt, D. A. Appleby, Ray Strickler, Preston Curnutt, James Smith, T. J. Tobin, Tom Kane, Robert Graham, O. S. Tudder, Wilbur Hubbard and Al Heflin.

Page Fite, on a charge of violating local option law, failed to appear and a scire facias was issued for his bondsmen.

Henry Hawk on a charge of grand larceny will be tried January 31.

State against William Cable, common assault, the case was dismissed.

State vs. Clarence Hilsenbeck, violation of local option law, continued by agreement.

George Cassel on a charge of carrying and exhibiting concealed weapon, pleaded guilty and was fined $100.

Joe Fogen vs C. B. & Q. R. R. for damages, the cause was continued.

Ed Archer vs. the C. G. W. R. R. Co., was continued.

William Rinehart vs. C. F. Mitchell, contract, the cause was continued for want of service in time.

Elizabeth McCormick vs. S. H. Kemp adm. D. F. Shupe estate, appeal from Probate, the plaintiff dismisses suit.

Frank H. Roney vs. Beryl McClelland, attachment, continued for want of service.

Bernard Brady vs. Marcella Costello note, defendant files motion for continuance.

F. P.Reuillard vs. William Everhart, appeal from Justice of Peace court, continued by agreement.

William J. Linebaugh vs. William T. Humphrey, contract, cause continued.

James Blagg vs. C. B. & Q. R. R. Co., excess freight charges, was continued.

LONGAN BROTHERS HERE

George and James Longan of Des Moines, Visiting Relatives Here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Westfall and Mrs. Westfall's sister, Miss Mary Ford are entertaining their nephews, Sergeant George W. Longan and his brother, James W. Longan of Des Moines, Ia. The brothers have recently been discharged from military duty. Sergeant Longan was in the air service and his brother in the motor transport service.

Harvey Haines to New York.

H. L. Haines will leave tomorrow afternoon for New York City to purchase new spring goods for the Haines dry goods store. He will be joined Friday in Chicago by his brother, Charles S. Haines of Sabetha, Kan. and they will purchase goods for the two stores. Forest Haines of Eldorado Kan., who has always accompanied his brothers in the spring and fall buyingtrips will not be with them this year for the reason that the Eldorado store was burned late in December and he has not re-established the busintss.

Announce Birth of Son.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Butheris announce the birth of a son, Friday, January 24, whom they have named Albert John.

Returns to Pueblo.

Mrs. Miles Saunders of Pueblo, Colo., who has been visiting her father, Joseph Jackson, and others of the family, left today for her home.

Bombshells were first made in Hol-

FIVE APPLY FOR JANITOR JOB

County Court Will Make Appointments at Session Next Week—Few Applications Havve Been Filed.

The county court at their session next week will have several appointments to make. Up to today there were five applicants for the position of court house janitor. They were W. F. Moyer, Fred L. Pfeiffer, W. H. Frazee, W. E. Burr and Baker Hutson. It is understood that there are four who will file their applications before court meets Monday. A county superintendent of farm, county highway engineer county physician and title examiner are to be appointed but as yet no applications have been received.

IN A "STUNT FEST"

YOUNG PEOPLE ENTERTAIN FOR BENEFIT OF C. W. B. M.

CROWD FILLED EMPIRE

Performance Went Smoothly—Many Interesting and Enjoyable Numbers Were Presented.

That home talent productions are the most popular entertainments in Maryville was again shown last night when a crowded house was present at the "Stunt Fest" presented by the C. W. B. M. of the First Christian church under the direction of Mrs. Gretchen Myers Coen at the Empire theater.

The participants in the production were unusually well trained, there being none of the embarassing breaks often made.

The first of the numbers, all of which were equally well received, was a song, "Smiles," by eight girls in Irish costume, with Mabel Raines and Odessa Wells as soloists.

The second number, "Where are you going, my pretty maid," was an amusing little musical sketch by Frank Cummins and Mary Carpenter.

Fifteen little boys and fifteen little girls gave the third number, "I've got a sweet tooth bothering me." Laura Margaret Raines was soloist in this number.

Probably the prettiest act was the "Flashlight Chorus" in which flashlights were used with good effect in the darkened house. Eighteen couples the boys in military uniform, took part. Marie Cloud was the soloist with obligato by Mrs. Coen.

Evelyn Raines was the star of a Dutch skit, "Jeannette and her wooden shoes," She was assisted by seven girls.

"Scap" by Billy Simons was the only individual number. This was followed by "Boogie Boo" by Annette Stiwalt, with a chorus of 40 little girls.

The only non-singing act and the funniest, was "An Insane Circumstance" with Chilton Robinson and Ruth Bookman in the stellar roles.

A blackface quartet composed of Messrs. Hull, Allan, Nicholas, and Cummins received its share of the applause.

A burlesque on the Sextette from "Lucia" was a "grown-up" number by Mrs. Fred Robinson, Miss Dale Hulet, Mrs. Coen and Messrs. H. J. Becker and Hal Catterson. The sixth member was Miss Marie Reuillard at the piano Miss Reuillard was pianist throughout the program

The closing number was a grand finale, "America, I Love You," the entire company taking part, with Miss Besse Scott as soloist.

STOP TURK TERROR

ALLIES IN ULTIMATUM, DEMAND IMMEDIATE TERMINATION

TURKISH CABINETS QUITS

Government Must Restore to Greeks and Armenians All Property That Has Been Forcibly Seized.

Saloniki, Greece, Jan. 28.—The Allies have served ultimatum upon Turkey demanding immediate termination of the terrorism against Greeks and Armenians, said a Constantinople dispatch. The Twefek Pasha cabinet has resigned as a result of the entente action. The Sultan has undertaken to reconstruct a new ministry. The Turkish government has been called upon by the Allies also to restore property of the Armenians and Greeks that had ben forcibly seized.

FORMER RESIDENT DEAD

Mrs. Arthur Howard Dies With Pneumonia at Sterling, Colo.—Is a Daughter of John Busby.

Mrs. Arthur Howard, a daughter of John Busby of this city, died last night at her home in Sterling, Colo. Her death was due to pneumonia, which followed an attack of influenza

The Howard family went to Sterling about a year ago to reside. Previous to that they lived on a farm south of the city. Besides her husband, Mrs. Howard is survived by five children, her father, two sisters, Mrs. William Wells and Mrs. Lettie Kime of Hopkins, and three brothers, David Busby, living south of the city, Edward and Elihu Busby of Maryville.

The funeral and burial will be at Sterling.

MRS. M. J. HONNOLD IMPROVING.

Undergoes Critical Operation at Augustine Hospital, Chicago.

Mrs. M. J. Honnold of this city who is at Augustine hospital, Chicago, being treated for a complication of troubles, underwent an operation last week which has proved successful and her condition at present is very good. Mrs. Honnold in company with her daughter, Mrs. George P. Bellows, went to Chicago about two months ago to be with her son, Dr. Fred C. Honnold of Chicago. The operation was one upon the alimentary tract and relatives and physicians anticipate that it will bring material improvement in Mrs. Honnold's health which has been precarious for some time.

FOOD BILL WILL GO THROUGH.

Washington, Jan. 28.—Both the senate and the house this afternoon adopted the conference report on the 100 million dollar food bill to feed Europe, asked by President Wilson.

DEMANDED THEIR JOBS BACK.

Winnipeg, Jan. 28.—Alin Swerchaus was chased about the city and was forced to kiss a union jack, an employment company's offices were smashed and several companies were forced to promise that aliens be discharged with in three days by Canadian soldiers just returned who found their jobs filled by aliens.

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Wednesday; temperature above normal for several days.

Basket Ball

NORMAL GYMNASIUM, TUESDAY EVENING, JANUARY 28, 1919

MIDLAND COLLEGE, Atchison, Kansas

vs.

NORMAL BEARCATS

Single Admission, 50c. Season Tickets, $1.50

Game called at 8:15 P. M.

Feature Tonight

Empire Theatre

11c and 17c

A Paramount Feature

Jack Pickford

—in—

"His Majesty, Bunker Bean"

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I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of collector of Polk township, subject to e action of the Republican nominating convention.

LEWIS E. WHITE.

For Township Collector.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of township collector for Polk township, subject to the action of the Democratic nominating convention.

FRANK G, SHOEMAKER.

For Township Colelctor.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of collector of Polk Township, subjejct to the decision of the Republican convention.

HERSCHEL E. WILES.

For Township Collector.

HOWARD ("DICK") STRONG hereby announces his candidacy for the nomination for the office of Collector of Polk Township, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

For Township Assessor.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of assessor of Polk township subject to the action of the Democratic township convention.

ROBERT ALEY.

For County Superintendent of Schools.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of Bert Cooper for County Superintendent of Schools of Nodaway County, subject to the action of the voters at the election to be held Tuesday, April 1.

THE FALL IN FOOD PRICES.

(By W. C. Van Cleve.)

Next to the consummation of a peace agreement, the thing that now concerns the people of this country is the high cost of living. With hostilities apparently at an end, the dollar of today has a purchasing power of not more than fifty cents as compared with a few years ago. Prices are still mounting to unheard of altitudes, wages are higher than ever known in this country and the surplus food supplies are the greatest we have ever had.

Around the latter fact hangs an interesting situation. Labor leaders declare that wages can not be reduced without ruination to laborers until the price of living is reduced. Manufacturers generally declare that, since labor is the principal item in the cost of practically all raw and finished materials, prices will not fall until wages fall. Food distributors declare that food prices can not be reduced until they can buy cheaper. Here we have a complete circle and you can run around the circle to your heart's content without seeing much hope of immediate relief.

Statistics show that in the matter of wheat, meats, lards, etc., there is a tremendous surplus on hand. There is a great accumulation of sugar in Java, there are stores of rice abroad and so on as to other articles. In the matter of meats, for instance, on January 1, 1919, there was in storage in this country 339,221,000 pounds of frozen beef, lamb and pork more than there was one year ago. The amount of lard on hand at the beginning of this year was 103,965,334 pounds against 51,875,806 on January 1, 1918, or a gain of more than one hundred per cent. Then, you ask, why do not these things become cheaper at once? The answer is Government price control.

The writer never did believe, and does not yet believe, that the far reaching powers and complicated machinery given to the food administration were necessary, but that has nothing to do with this discussion. The food administration has accomplished many good things and, granting that all was essential to the proper conduct of the war, the situation that we now find ourselves in shows plainly that the Government must get out of the price-fixing and food control business in peace times before there can be any great reduction in the prices of the principal table supplies.

As was stated in the beginning, according to the statistics and the admissions of interested parties, there is a big surplus of certain products, but it is not in the hands of the consumers nor in the hands of the retailers. The wheat has been bought up by the purchasing corporation organized under the food administration. It has been the sole purchaser practically because the Government guaranteed the price of wheat and this company sold all the wheat that was sold from this country to the allied nations, so there was no other purchaser of consequence. The Government holds this wheat in elevators. It is not now worth in the markets of the world the price it brings in this country, and England and other foreign nations are now exercising their right to turn to Australia and Argentine for cheaper wheat. During the war they could not get wheat from there because of the difficulties of transportation. If the Government of the United States permits its wheat to be sold in competition with the world, it stands to lose a great amount of money. It stands to lose more than a billion dollars any way because it has guaranteed a price of $2.26 per bushel for the 1919 crop and, from present prospects, it will be a big one.

In order to stimulate the production of meats, the packers were required to pay certain prices for beef and pork on foot and the packers naturally hold that there was an implied contract involved to protect them against loss. They have so much meat on band now that Louis Swift, testifying before the Interstate Commerce of the House, Wednesday, declared that the reduction of one cent a pound on pork alone would cause his firm alone to lose $2,500,000 on this one item.

The War Trade Board and the War Industries Board also took a hand. Men were not allowed to import certain products except by license. The handling of sugar is delegated to the Sugar Equilization Board, incorporated, and importations outside of this board are yet impossible and as late as January 14, of this year, the following announcement was made:

"The War Trade Board announces that hereafter licenses for the importation of sugar will be issued only to the Sugar Equalization Board (Inc.) or its nominees." The Sugar Equalization Board contracted with the Cuban cane growers to pay them 5.5 cents per pound with the understanding that there would be no transportation facilities furnished to more remote parts of the world. This enabled them to lay sugar down at the refineries in this country at 6.9 cents on top of which the Equalizing Company takes 3.8 cents. So long as this arrangement is protected by the War Trade Board and the food administration, it is not possible to take advantage of cheap sugar in Java. The War Trade Board still restricts the importation of rice into this country. Tin plate, which is largely used in food containers, is selling in London at 55 cents a pound but, through the operations of the War Trade Board, it can not be purchased in this country at less than 72 cents per pound. These are only a few illustrations showing the difficulty in getting back to a pre-war basis.

The farmer can not object to a guarantee of $2.26 per bushel for his wheat while it is selling in Argentine for $1.29 and in Australia for $1.14. He can not object to $1.23 per bushel in Chicago for his corn while Argentine corn brings only half that sum, nor can he object to the same conditions as to rye, oats and other products. The sugar beet raiser of the west and the cane grower in the south are glad the Government has guaranteed the price of their products, and the stock raiser will endorse the acts of the Government in keeping up the prices of live stock. It makes times good for the producers and for the tradesmen in their communities. But the Government has either to compel the sale of these things at a corresponding price or suffer a tremendous loss which must be made up in taxes and bond sales while the consumers in other lines of endeavor continue to battle with the high cost of living. The Government can not hold on indefinitely and it can not let loose suddenly without paralyzing many lines of business. Some means must be found for a gradual adjustment so that things will gradually seek their proper level without harm to any class of producers. Until then, the dollar will remain as nearly void of purchasing power as it has ever been in this country.

WRITES FROM RHINE

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the greatest and finest thing about the demonstrated power of a great republic is what it means for the future.

The people of America have learned to use their power. They realize that they have; there is a great wealth force that can be released for good in any direction that may suit the people. They know that the nation, with an income of fifty billion a year, has no excuse for swamps and deserts in its territory, and above all they know that it has no excuse for miserable poverty and social injustice.

All the boys from Nodaway county who are in the 89th Midwest Division are getting along fine and all are located only a few kilometers from Bitburg which is the headquarters of the 3rd American army. Perry White Burlington Junction is still as fat as ever. Bansbock and Heekan of Conception who are in headquarters company, are still in the game. George Arnold of Parnell is still in C. Battery.

You may be interested in the price of foodstuffs over here and I mention a few articles: Eggs, 12 marks per dozen; apples, 5 marks a pound; chicken, 10 marks each; pork, 5 marks per pound; milk, 4 marks per gallon; butter, 10 marks per pound. According to the latest money rating a mark equals about 15 cents of our money.

Don't know how long we will be kept over here but hope the day wont be long before we set foot upon dear old U. S. A. It sure will be good to get back again. Hoping this finds the people back in Nodaway county all O. K., as it leaves me with best wishes I remain, Yours truly,

PVT. FRED MESSBARGER,
Battery B, 342 F. A., A. E. F.

BOY SCOTTS ARE CITY'S GUEST

No Better Insurance for Fine Manhood Than Investment in Boy Scouts Says Prominent Kansas Citian.

Maryville business men are trying to raise an annual fund of $500 for the Boy Scouts to enable them to carry out the Scout program together with its activities during the coming year and have secured about $350. It is urged that those who have not been seen by the committee and who desire to have a part in the work for the boys leave their names as members of the Council with the treasurer, Geo. B. Baker at the Real Estate Bank, or with the secretary, A. M. Crooke, at the Democrat-Forum office.

In this connection the following concerning the work of the Scout organization by Burris Jenkins, prominent Kansas City minister and editor and publisher of the Kansas City Post; is of interest. Says Mr. Jenkins in a recent issue of the Post:

The Boy Scouts are soon going to make a campaign for funds to keep up their order. There is no more important enterprise to this community than the fostering of the Boy Scouts. They are the future of the country. To keep them, at their most impressionable age, profitably employed, ambitious to be clean and strong obedient, disciplined and faithful, is a great public undertaking.

Most of us older men had no such institution as the Boy Scouts to shape our early youth. We played unorganized and undisciplined games—marbles and tops and sixty-out in the woods; we played wild Indian and cowboy; we made ragamuffin armies with oak swords and daggers stained with poke berry juice, and sometimes we damaged each other considerably with these implements of mimic war.

Others of us were brought up in the alleys; we formed gangs and fought. The hut dwellers and cottage dwellers were against the aristocracy who lived in two-story brick houses. We sneaked out at nights; we had nickle novels in the hayloft. We read what was not good for us and did what was harmful to us. The Boy Scouts would have been a God-send.

Sometimes the world grew very dark to us boys. It seemed as if everybody was against us and we were Ishmaels. Then we ran away to the freight yards or the river bank, or we even beat a ride out into Kansas. We slept in haymows and starved, and after days of homesickness, broken pride and damaged self-respect, we came creeping back home and tried to be good a while. There was no end to our high spirits and effervescence, but there was no such fine, clean way of blowing off steam as is furnished by the Boy Scouts.

A boy at the Scout age is a pathetic creature. Nobody knows the longings of his soul. Nobody but himself can understand what tempests are going on within him, and he himself does not know what the tempests are. He only knows they are there. Discontent, yearnings, indefinite and nameless forces are struggling within him. Undirected, he may turn out a liability to the community. Wisely guided and understood, he may become an invaluable asset. There is no other possession quite so valuable to this town as that pathetic boy of 11 or 12 years of age. Look into his face and see there a sunrise unclouded or lowering with storm. It is the community which is responsible for the outcome of his life.

Boys need sympathy and understanding. That is not to say they want to be coddled and slobbered over. What they want is to be trusted, given things to do, believed and understood. At a certain secretive age they keep their inner lives to themselves. They have the right to be respected in their reticence. They should have their secrets, their wooderaft, their furtive withdrawals, and one who bursts upon this retirement of the young soul is an interloper and a vandal. They have their vivid imaginings. They see pictures and dreams and tragedies in which they figure as the heroes. Repressed and shamed in this solace of imagination, they become embittered and hardened and disillusioned before their time. Allowed to range in the woods and fields, in highways and byways, actually or in fancy, their souls are fed with the sweet air of romance. They are living it and they have the right to live it.

No better insurance for fine manhood than investment in the Boy Scouts.

Dollar Sale

Our Great Dollar Sale is Now On. It will be a long time before you have another opportunity to buy such bargains for $1.00 Sale closes Saturday night. For details see our large advertisement in last evening's paper.

Haines

The Store Quality and Low Prices Built

Communication.

Guilford, Jan. 27, 1919.

Editor Democrat-Forum.

In your issue of Jan. 24th, you report the proceedings of the circuit court in a way that creates a false impression and does me positive personal injury. I know now that the emigration officials were not careful in providing me with my papers on arrival in this country, but so far as non-compliance with law, I will say that I did all I was asked to do by the officials and as for my conduct since my arrival, the people in the vicinity in which I live will vouch. It is my opinion that if more care were exercised by reporters in such cases, far less injustice would be done.

Please correct this matter by publishing this letter. Very truly,

HANS PETER LARSEN.

Following is the item Mr. Larsen has reference to:

"Hans Peter Larsen was denied application, it being shown that he had not complied with the laws of the country on arrival in the United States."

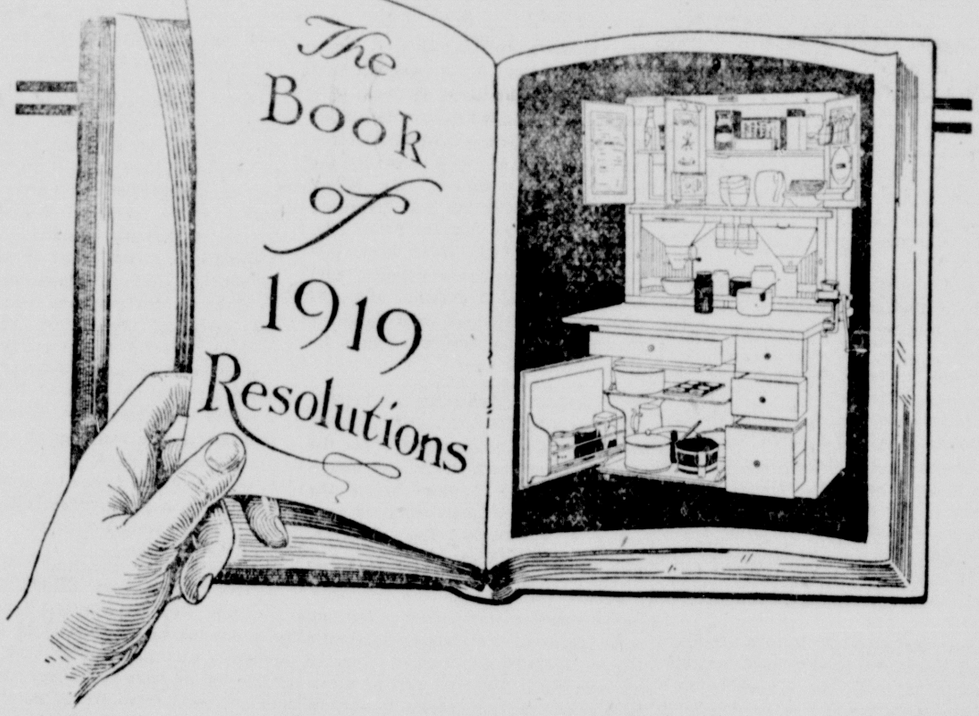
Charged With Destroying Property

Henry and Charles Reed were arrested this morning by Sheriff Dowden on a charge of destroying property. They were indicted by the grand jury. Their trial was set for February 1. They are charged with chopping the floor in the John Pierpoint residence.

Trunks 25 cents, Packages 15 cents. Call Hanamo 406. 28-29*

Our Want Ads. work like a charm.

HOOSIER KITCHEN CABINET



Turn Over This New Leaf and Save Miles of Steps

EFFICIENCY was not meant for man alone. But, as man's business and professional methods have been improved, woman's workshop has, in most cases, been sorely neglected. While millions of women now enjoy the utmost in kitchen efficiency that only the Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet can bring, other millions still continue housework under "hard labor" conditions.

Every Home Needs a Hoosier

Every woman should make this 1919 resolution: That a work-reducing and time-saving Hoosier must be added to her home equipment; that she will no longer countenance the drudgery of kitchen work without it.

The Hoosier is universally recognized as the leader in scientific arrangement, exclusive features, inventions and superior construction.

Come now and see the many beautiful models. Select the one that pleases you most, and have it installed in your kitchen immediately. Hoosier Cabinets are very reasonably priced.

Price & McNeal

FURNITURE RUGS

Did It Ever Occur to You

That if YOU are not a customer of ours, that you MAY be the only one man reading this paper who isn't?

And if YOU are NOT, who loses?

We know that it is YOU because YOU don't know the appetising quality of our meats, for

WE KEEP THE QUALITY UP

Stapler's Market

210 North Main.

DON'T FUSS WITH MUSTARD PLASTERS!

Musterole Works Easier, Quicker and Without the Blister

There's no sense in mixing a mess of mustard, flour and water when you can easily relieve pain, soreness or stiffness with a little clean, white Musterole.

Musterole is made of pure oil of mustard and other helpful ingredients, combined in the form of the present white ointment. It takes the place of out-of-date mustard plasters, and will not blister.

Musterole usually gives prompt relief from sore throat, bronchitis, tonsilitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, headache, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frosted feet, colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia).

20c and 60c jars; hospital size $2.50.

MUSTEROLE
WILL NOT BLISTER

Plenty of exercise, fresh air, regular hours—is all the prescription you need to avoid Influenza—unless through neglect or otherwise, a cold gets you. Then take—at once

HILL'S CASCARA BROMIDE QUININE

Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture. At All Drug Stores.

SOCIETY and CLUBLAND

By KATE SCHENCK

PHONES—OFFICE 42. HOME 683

Westminster Guild Tonight.

The Westminster Guild will meet tonight at the home of Mrs. S. A. Coile on South Buchanan street.

Westminster Guild To Meet Tonight.

The Westminster Guild will meet at 7:30 o'clock tonight at the Manse with Mrs. S. A. Coile.

House Party at Burlington Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Cummine, of Burlington Junction, entertained Misses Marie Cook and Golda Pope, of Maryville, and Bert Monk and Robert Tobin, of Burlington Junction, at a week end house party at "Sunny Crest," their country home east of town.

Mrs. Wilderman Entertains P. E. O. Chapter.

Mrs. T. L. Wilderman entertained the P. E. O. Chapter Saturday afternoon at a social meeting at her home on Lawn avenue. The prize for the high score at somerset was won by Mrs. Frank Garrett. Mrs. Wilderman was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. J. B. Bailey.

Miss Griffey Entertains.

Miss Eva Griffey entertained a few of her friends at her home, northeast of Maryville, in honor of her cousin Miss Gladyce Cook, of St. Joseph. Plates were laid for Misses Mary Marshall, Gladys Lawson, Dorris and Eva Griffey, and honor guest, and Messrs. Henry Busch and Doyle King and the additional guests in the evening were Messrs. Beryl Montgomery, Ray Florea and Dewey Burch.

Entertain For Son.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Popham, living southwest of the city entertained at Sunday dinner in honor of their son, Francis M. Popham who has just returned from overseas duty.

Young Popham was wounded Oct. 6, while fighting in the battle of the Argonne Forest. Those present were Mrs. Martha Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pope, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Ripley, Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Dilts, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dilts, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Popham, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ellsworth, Misses Berd Popham, Martha Ellsworth, Violet Lent, Francis M. Popham, Paul Ware, Henry Ellsworth, host and hostess.

Complimentary to Miss Hallowell.

Miss Irene Swinford gave a dinner party Sunday noon complimentary to Miss Frankie Hallowell, who is leaving soon for Kansas City to take a position in one of the wholesale millinery houses. The table was centered with a bowl of sweet peas and plates were laid for Miss Hallowell, Mrs. Alpha Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Swinford, Miss Ina Hallowell, W. H. Swinford and the hostess.

Helwigs Entertain Dinner Guests.

Mrs. S. A. Helwig and daughters, Misses Orrel and Katherine, entertained at dinner Sunday noon complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hull, living north of the city.

Business Women Hold Merry-Making.

Thirty-six business women, members of the Business Girl's League enjoyed an indoor picnic supper last night at the High School auditorium. The supper was served at 6:30 o'clock and the evening was devoted to informal sociability. The League voted to subscribe $5 to the Armenian Relief fund. The February meeting will be held on the night of the twenty-fourth and will be a colonial party.

ARCH CARTER HOME TOMORROW

Wife Receives Message today that he Will Arrive in the Morning.

Arch Carter will arrive tomorrow morning from Jefferson Barracks, St. Louis, where he has been stationed since his arrival from over seas. Carter has received his discharge and wired his wife this morning that he would be home tomorrow.

Young Carter was severely wounded during the latter part of last August and has been in a hospital since that time. He arrived from France about three weeks ago. He went to France last spring with a company of men from Camp Funston, Kan.

COFFMAN TO MANHATTAN

Head of Alderman-Yehle Carpet Department Resigns Position.

Delmar Coffman, head of the carpet and drapery department of the Alderman-Yehle dry goods company, has resigned his position and will leave the last of February for Manhattan, Kan., to take a similar position in the L. R. Eakin store. Mr. Coffman has sold his residence property on West First street to H. P. Swinehart.

TRIAL JUDGE IN ARSON CASE

Judge L. B. Woods of Princeton Will Sit in Place of Judge Dawson.

It was announced in circuit court this morning that Judge L. B. Woods of Princeton, Mo., would sit as trial judge in the case of the state vs. Mark Adkins, charged with arson and also in the case of Clint Hewitt, charged with the larceny of hogs. The former case has been set for trial February 10, that being the earliest date on which Judge Woods will be abl to come.

Mrs. C. W. Thorpe desires to thank the ladies who so kindly remembered her on her birthday with a post card shower, and while I cannot thank you personaly, I take this means to do so, and while memory lasts a very tender feeling will be extended to all.

John McGhee of Maryville and Mrs. Francis Johnson of Kansas City, were issued a marriage license yesterday in St. Joseph.

Mrs. R. C. Holliday and son, Robert Brenckenridge, went to Litchfield, Ill., Sunday evening for a ten days' visit with relatives.

FOR SALE—Oak side board, Morris chair, Oliver typewriter and cabinet, China cabinet. Call Hanamo 4703 28-30*

600 CIVILIANS MURDERED.

Amsterdam, Jan. 28.—Russian Bolsheviki murdered three hundred civilians at Libau and a similar number at Dorpey, said a Berlin dispatch today.

RUSSIA BIG PRIZE

EUROPE RECOGNIZES NATION'S COMMERCIAL IMPORTANCE

ATTITUDE OF THE ALLIES

Expected To Be Clearly Defined at the Peace Conference—Germany's Hopes to Retain Influence.

London (My Mail).—Russia is the greatest commercial prize in the world. That fact is fully recognized by British business men and statesmen. Russia, torn by class warfare, has shown itself incapable of going forward from the elementary stages of revolution toward democratic progress, due, in part, to malign German influences. Russia will need considerable foreign encouragement and material help to get her on her feet as a nation. In this process there are great commercial possibilities for foreign interests.

The Allies' attitude toward Russia is expected to be clearly defined at the Peace Conference. In brief, it will be designed to prevent, if possible, German domination of her eastern neighbor, either politically or commercially, and to assure to Russia of full support by the Allies in reconstruction.

This brings the Allies face to face with the puzzling problem of their future attitude toward the Bolshevik government, against which Japanese, British, French and American forces are operating. When I brought this conviction to the attention of Lord Robert Cecil, British Assistant Foreigh secretary, he stated:

"The Allies' position toward the Bolshevik government is this: We have never been at war with the Bolsheviks as a system of government. We merely have been opposing those forces in the Bolshevik government which have been assisting Germany. In the event of peace with the central empires the necessity of continuing further force against the Bolsheviks would disappear. Then the position of the Allies toward the Bolsheviks remains one which the Allies will have to examine and determine."

Germany hopes to retain her sphere of influence in Russia, as developed by the war, no matter what comes, according to Lord Robert.

"Besides denuding Russia of supplies and essential materials, Germany has instructed her armies of occupation to take all weapons from the population, so the people cannot even defend themselves," he said. Conditions are so disorganized in Russia that some sort of protection will be needed by the people, especially in the west. Germany hopes that her social organization will not go to pieces before the war ends and,being nearest to Russia, confidently expects to be the nation that will furnish an adequate policing force for Russia."

The three nations expected to vie in establishing commercial advantages in Russia are Great Britain, Germany and the United States, the chief rivalry being between Great Britain and Germany. The United States is expected to have practically a free field in marketing farm machinery, automobiles and the like.

Mesopotamia is a moneyless country. There is no need of money. The people pay no taxes or tribute. Wheat, fruit and skins are the only medium of exchange.

COLDS

Head or chest—are best treated "externally"—

"Your Bodyguard"

VICK'S VAPORUB

NEW PRICES---30c. 60c. $1.20

WATCH YOUR EYESIGHT.

EYES EXAMINED FREE

Our expert graduate Optometrist will diagnose your eye troubles and tell you what you need. The service is free at

RUCHS BROTHERS

222 North Main St.

A big juicy steak broiled to brown perfection. Or some of our tender chops served with cream gravy, is enough to make most anyone happy.

Watch for Mr. Happy Party.

REIMER'S MARKET

410 NORTH MAIN ST.

GAUGH & EVANS, DRUGGISTS.

South Side Square

GOODBY, WOMEN'S TROUBLES

The tortures and discomforts of weak, lame and aching back, swollen feet and limbs, weakness, dizziness, nausea, as a rule have their origin in kidney trouble, not "female complaints." These general symptoms of kidney and bladder disease are well known—so is the remedy.

Next time you feel a twinge of pain in the back or are troubled with headache, indigestion, insomnia, irritation in the bladder or pain in the loins and lower abdomen, you will find quick and sure relief in GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. This old and tried remedy for kidney trouble and allied derangements has stood the test for hundreds of years. It does the work. Pains and troubles vanish and new life and health will come as you continue their use. When completely restored to your usual vigor, continue taking a capsule or two each day.

GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules are imported direct, the laboratories at [illegible]. Do not accept a substitute. Sealed boxes, three sizes.

Farm Loans

If you need a first class loan we are in a position to make you exceptionally inviting terms.

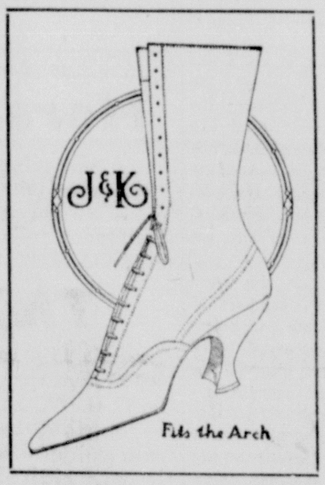
THE WALTON TRUST CO.

Chas. E. Stilwell, Mgr.
Office south side square
Maryville, Mo.

Stock Reducing SALE

Beginning Wednesday, Jan. 29

Our stock is unusually heavy due to the flu epidemic, and we must make room for our spring shoes.



Broken and discontinued line of women's fancy dress shoes. Not all sizes in anyone style, but YOUR size in some style.

A few pair of all leather, gray both Military and Louis heel, $12.00 grade at - **$9.35**

A few pair of all leather, gray both Military and Louis heel, $10.00 grade at - - **$7.35**

Light and dark gray and brown cloth top to match, $8.50 grade at - - - - **$6.35**

Brown cloth top, $6.00 grade at - - **$4.65**

Brown all leather, $10.00 grade at - - **$7.35**

Brown all leather, $9.00 and $8.50 grade at - **$6.35**

Brown all leather, $6.00 grade at - - **$4.65**

One lot women's patent leather button and lace $4.50 to $6.50, grades at - - - **$3.65**

One lot misses shoes mostly 13 1-2 to 2 sizes. $3.00 and $3.50 grades at - - - **$2.35**

10% Discount

On All Men's and Boy's Shoes

Montgomery Shoe Co

THE FAMILY SHOE STORE

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

WANTS

THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Hantze property at 509 East Third St.. 6 room house in good condition. Modern except furnace. Priced to sell. See G. F. Hantze, Adm., Pickering, Mo., or J. M. Hantze, 516 N. Buchanan St. 22-28*

FOR SALE—Choice 5 3-4 acre place, good house, barn and out buildings, at west end of West Cooper St. C. E. Ballenger. 22-31.*

FOR SALE—4 head of good yearling mules. Walter Dickie, 5019 Farmers' phone. 25-31*

FOR SALE—A young male calf, a nice big one. Mrs. Elege Bredenbeck, Maryville, Mo. 25-28*

FOR SALE—Two Boston terrier bull pups; house broke. F. P. Reuillard. 29

FOR SALE—259 acres near Burlington Jct. Will give possession March 1st This is a real bargain. Geo. B. Baker at Real Estate Bank. 30

FOR SALE—Two fat hogs, weight about 175 pounds. W. L. Ruddle, Haname phone I-KL. 29

FOR SALE—Red male calf. See Bert Bratcher at Hudson & Welch, Hdw. store. 29

FOR SALE—at once. A few Buff Orphington cockerels. Mrs. Emmet Scott. Both phones. 29

FOR SALE—Pole wood, cut ready to load. All you can haul for a dollar. W. H. Bainum. Famers 37-12. 29*

FOR SALE—Top Buggy in good condition. Fred J. Auffert. 28-30*

FOR SALE OR TRADE on farm, 7½ acre tract not far from Normal; well improved, good laying land Call Democrat-Forum office 28-30*

FOR SALE OR RENT—Modern cottage, corner lot, 5 blocks from square. Vacant Feb. 1st. Farmers phone 210-11. 28-30.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Five room house; lights and water. Call Glover & Alexander. 28-30

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Girl to help with housework; small family. Mrs. A. M. Crooke 704 North Mulberry street.

See R. S. Braniger for Seeds and Feeds—Plenty of shorts, bran and oil meal on hand, alfalfa, clover, timothy and all kinds of field seeds, a specialty. Chicken chowder, oyster shell, meat scraps for chickens Tobacco, cigars, and small line of fancy groceries. Spot cash and no delivery. Will meet all competition. Thanking you for your past patronage, I hope to merit a continuance of same. R. S. Braniger. 27-29

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Call 23-0-16 Farmers. 28*

SANITARY STELIZERS—Plus electrical equipment means better service for you. We have it. The Sane-Electric, the best equipped barber shop in Northwest Missouri. Ray Protzman, under First National Bank. 29*

WANTED—Cars to store by month or week, prices reasonable. Will be man at garage day and night to look after them. See W. R. Tilson, Tilson Garage. 29*

Haines Employee Resigns.

Mrs Elizabeth Heffren Midyett, who has been employed as corsetier at the Haines dry goods store, hasresigned her position and discontinued her work there Saturday.

When leaving the state and you want your stock tested or inspected, call Dr. R. L. Wohlford, DEPUTY STATE VETERINARIAN and STOCK INSPECTOR. Hanamo 470, Farmers 160-11. Office Everhart Bldg., So. Main St.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Kansas City Jan. 28.—Cattle, 11,000; steers, $15.50@$17; cows, $6@$13. Hogs, 19,000; top, $17.50; bulk, $16.90 @$17.35.

Kansas City, Jan. 28.—January Corn, $1.32 3-4; February, $1.27 7-8; March, $1.27 5-8.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Eggs	40c
Butter fat	48
Hides, per lb	14c
Hens	22
Ducks, per lb	15c
Geese, per lb	15c
Turkeys, per lb	17c to 25c
Young Roosters per pound	18c
Old Roosters, per lb.	12c

Our Fourteen Peace Points.

1. That all restaurateurs, grocers and butchers shall be informed as expeditiously as may be that the war is over.

2. That hens be forbidden to lay 10-cent eggs, and any hen laying an egg that shall retail at more than 3 cents shall be decapitated.

3. That anybody who suggests the advisability of holding another war shall be committed to Matteawan, there to reside in a straitjacket for eighteen years.

4. That the amount of hemp in all 6-cent cigars be reduced from 60 per cent to 20 per cent.

5. That the activity of all community committees organized to save tinfoil and old hairpins to help win the war be adjourned until the next war. This also applies to committees organized to save catsup bottle corks to make life preservers for the navy.

6. That the hotel lobby and corner store experts be notified that their services are no longer needed by the government and that they be put into some useful peace employment, such as whittling full-rigged ships in glass bottles.

7. That the butter patties in restaurants shall not be cut hereafter with safety razors.

8. That the variety of feminine uniforms in this country shall be cut from 1,894 to 109.

9. That postage on business letters be reduced to 2 cents and postage on all love letters be increased to 15 cents. This will be a money-making venture for the government.

10. That when a parson or justice of the peace or alderman has married 1,200 soldiers he shall call it a day's work, and that he shall establish union hours.

11. That soap boxes be exterminated for the duration of time. Soap hereafter to be shipped in bags. Speakers will not be able to stand on soap bags and attract much attention.

12. That it be stipulated with Sweden that one out of every fourteen of the safety matches imported from that country shall strike, instead of one out of every thirty-seven, the present average.

13. That knitting needles for peace times shall not be more than eighteen inches in length when carried on street cars or used in theaters.

14. That all captured one-man tanks be returned to this country and turned over for the few pedestrians who are left, so they may negotiate street intersections safely.—Chicago Record-Herald.

School Children Hurt.

Agnes and Mamie Lutzen, the young daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lutzen of Arkoe, were both injured yesterday afternoon when the pony they were riding home from school became frightened and threw them off. One little girl suffered a broken arm and the other a dislocated shoulder.

Barometers were first made by Torrecelli in 1436.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

The first successful fire engine was built by Moses Latta of Cincinnati.

Investigation shows that the motor truck is making longer hauls for the farmer at a decreased cost as compared with horses.

Prayer Meeting Service.

Prayer meeting service at the Baptist church on Wednesday evening, it is announced, will begin at :15 o'clock.

Kansas Pastor Here.

R. V. Hughes, pastor of the First Christian church at Peabody,, Kan., is visiting in Maryville with his mother, Mrs. J. M. Hughes, and other relatives.

Depend on our Want Ad. Column.

Eyes Tested Free
Glasses Fitted
WE GUARANTEE SATISFACTION
H. L. Raines
JEWELER OPTICIAN
110 W. 3RD ST. JUST A STEP PAST MAIN
MARYVILLE, MO.

ASK FILM CENSOR

LEGISLATORS TO URGE CREATION OF STATE BOARD

PROVISIONS OF THE BILL

Would Pass on All "Movies" Exhibited in the State—Other Bills Introduced in the House.

Creating of a State Board of Censors to pass on all moving picture films sold, leased or exhibited in the state is provided for in a bill introduced in the House by Representative Hackett of Pettis county and Ferguson of Ripley, as House bill 327.

The bill provides for appointment of a board of three by the Governor, two men and one woman, who must be "well qualified by education or experience," and who shall serve for three years. They must furnish a bond and will receive salaries as follows:

The chairman $3,000 yearly, vice-chairman $2,500, and the secretary $2,400. In addition to the three salaried members of the board, there is to be one chief clerk at $1,800 a year, two stenographers at $1,000 a year, two inspectors at $1,500 each,one operator at $1,400, another operator at $1,000, an assistant operator at $750, another at $400 and such other employes as are needed and are approved by the Governor. In addition the censors are to be paid their expenses and are to have headquarters provided for them in Jefferson City. The moving picture man must pay a fee of $1 for each film passed upon. The board also is given authority to pass on all film posters and advertising.

For failure to submit a film to the censors a penalty of not to exceed $300 fine, or sixty days in jail, or both, is provided.

Representative O'Brien of St. Louis has introduced a bill to amend the hours of labor act by limiting the length of time that female labor can be employed in factories, stores, restaurants and places of amusement to eight hours a day, except in the case of canning factories in rural communities, which are given a 90 day exemption each year.

Other bills introduced in the house were by Representative Chambers of St. Clair, forbidding circuit and prosecuting attorneys to engage in civil practice, and prohibiting candidates from soliciting votes on election day; by Coon of Jasper county, authorizing mayors of cities of 10,000 or over, or city councils to levy an excise fund tax and the bill to regulate the liquor traffic under the dry amendment, or "bone dry bills" introduced by Norman of Stoddard county, and three school bills drafted for the State Teachers' association; a bill by Triesler of St. Louis, raising the coroner's salary in that city to $5,000.

The House has voted that a committee of five be appointed to inspect the Supreme Court docket and report on the need of continuing the supreme court commissioners.

1,500,000 MEN KILLED

France Has Lost an Equal Number of Wounded.

New York, Jan. 28.—France in four years of conflict to preserve her own liberty and that of the world, according to Andre Tardie, French high commissioner to the United States, has lost 1,500,000 men killed and almost as many wounded. America owes France a debt of gratitude not only for this great sacrifice, but also for the reported saving of thousands of lives in this country due to the discovery by French peasants of a perfect remedy for stomach and intestinal ailments, the ingredients of which are imported from France by Geo. H. Mayr, a leading Chicago chemist who sells it in America under the name of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.

For sale by Maryville Drug Co., and druggists everywhere.

TEXTILE WORKERS TO STRIKE.

Lawrence, Mass., Jan. 28.—A nation wide walkout of textile workers after eight hours of work on February 3 was threatened today Hundreds of thousands of mill operatives will be affected. The workers are demanding a forty-eight hour week with a continuance of the present wage given for fifty-four hours of work.

GERMANS AND POLES BATTLE.

The Hague, Jan. 28.—German troops in Posen province have recaptured Schoenlanke from the Poles after a furious battle, said a dispatch from a German source today.

ROYALIST UPRISING FAILS.

London, Jan. 28.—The Royalist uprising in Portugal has failed completely, according to the latest news the Chronicle stated today.

TO RESTRICT IMMIGRATION

Wasington, Jan., 28.—A majority of the House immigration stands committed today to prohibition of immigration to the United States for the next four years. The purpose is to prevent a rush of immigration from the war devastated countries.

The Y. M. C. A. was founded in England by Sir George Williams, a London merchant. Williams' organization grew out of meetings he held for prayer and Bible reading among his fellow workers in a dry goods business in the city of London, and was founded in 1844.

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STATEMENT OF PLAN SOON.

Paris, Jan. 28.—President Wilson's League of Nations plans will be forthcoming within a day or two. It will be in form of a statement from the "Parisian White House" or to be outlined in detail by some American member of the delegation, probably Colonel House.

FLY ATLANTIC IN AUGUST.

London, Jan. 28.—Proposed trans-Atlantic airship flight is now set for August according to plans revealed today. Voyage will be made from Spain to Buenos Aires. It will take four days and there will be about fifteen on board.

Copnhagen, Jan. 28.—M. Lenine, Bolshevist premier in Russia, has gone to Yamburg where he ordered the Reds to recapture Narva and to massacre most of the population, it is reported from Reval.

The amount of light given by a single lightning flash is sufficient to illuminate an area two miles square with an average illumination of one candle. To produce such an illumination an eminent electrician estimates the expenditure of 13,000 horsepower for one second would be required.

It takes a powerful locomotive drawing a train of ten passenger carriages a distance of five miles to reach a speed of sixty miles an hour on a straight and level track. The brakes will stop the train in 700 feet.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Casteel of Ravenwood arrived in Maryville yesterday for a visit with Mr. Casteel's sisters, Mrs. Preston Seafers, Mrs. Cooper Gooden and Mrs. Robinson Craven.

Factory Retreads Don't Come Off.

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Horse and Mule Sale

I will offer the following described Horses and Mules at Public Auction to the highest bidder, at my farm, known as the Wm. Cawood farm, 1-4 miles west of Cawood, 4 miles S. W. of Guilford, 4 miles east of Bolckow, 16 miles north of Savannah on the C. G. W. railroad, on,

Thursday, Feb. 6!

Sale to commence at one o'clock or immediately after train No. 54 goes through Cawood. Trains will be met at Cawood on the C. G. W., and at Bolckow on the Burlington road.

Sale will be over in time that people can leave Cawood on train going either north or south.

SIX HORSES—One span of coming 4 year old bay mares, weight 2,400; one span of coming 4 year old bay mares, weight 2,500; one span of coming 3 year old bay mares, weight 2,000 pounds. These horses are all broke to work and are in first class condition.

FORTY MULES—These mules range in age from 3 to 6 years and are all broke to work. They have been in the feed lot about 55 or 60 days and are in good condition.

TERMS—Cash, or a credit of six months will be given purchaser giving bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest. Nothing to be removed until terms are complied with.

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PUBLIC SALE

As I am going to move to an adjoining county, I will sell at the J. H. Eckles farm, four miles west and 1½ miles south of Maryville, on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 30

beginning at 10:30 o'clock, the following property:

6 HEAD OF HORSES — A black horse, 3 years old, weight 1400 lbs; sorrel horse, 4 years old, weight 1400 lbs; 1 pair of roan mares, 7 years old, weight 2700, bred to jack; two 2-year-old horse colts.

9 HEAD OF COWS—1 Jersey milch cow, the rest are Polls and Shorthorns; most of these cows will be fresh early, one or two possibly by sale day.

66 HEAD OF HOGS—7 extra good brood sows, 1 with pigs by side; 58 fall shoats; 1 thoroughbred Poland-China male hog.

SHEEP—90 head Western Ewes bred to lamb in March. 8 dozen S. C. Rhode Island Red hens.

IMPLEMENTS—Gang plow, riding cultivator, McCormick binder, Champion mowing machine, Osborne hay rake, 2 sweep rakes, hay stacker, wagon.

GRAIN—200 bushels of corn, 300 bushels of oats of 1917 crop, 12 to 15 tons of timothy hay, 3 tons of clover hay, some wild hay; 8 tons of baled oats straw and some oats straw in stack. I intend to bale some of this hay by sale date. About 8 dozen S. C. Rhode Island Red hens and some cockerels.

TERMS—$10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

Lunch by Lasher Red Cross.

R. P. HOSMER, Auct.
Joseph Jackson, Jr., Clerk. **J. W. KNEPPER**

Closing Out Sale

Having decided to leave the state, will sell at public auction on the John Halasey place 6½ miles northwest of Maryville and 2 miles east and ½ mile north of Wilcox, on

MONDAY, February 3

Sale starts at 10 a. m.

4 HEAD HORSES AND MULES—1 pair mules coming 5 years old, weight 3000 lbs, well broke; 1 bay mare 8 years old, weight 1200; 1 gray horse 5 years old, weight 1350.

13 HEAD CATTLE—6 head good milch cows; 1 will be fresh by date of sale, balance to freshen soon. This is an extra good bunch of milkers. 2 coming 2 year old heifers, heavy springers; 4 head spring calves, fat enough for butchers and fall calf.

17 HEAD OF HOGS—5 brood sows, 1 due to farrow last of January, balance 1st of April; 12 head late summer pigs.

IMPLEMENTS—1 Peter Schuttler wagon; 1 low wagon and rack; 1 buggy, good as new; hog oiler; disc cultivator; endgate seeder; corn sheller; hog trough; grindstone; water tank; disc harrow; about 150 bushels corn, and some household goods, and other things not mentioned.

TERMS—All sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount purchaser must give bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Nothing to be removed from permises until settled for.

Lunch by ladies of Ireland Industrial Club.

R. P. Hosmer, Auct.
J. D. Richey, Clerk. **E. J. SEIPEL**

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IN INSINCERE FIGHT

REPUBLICANS INSINCERE FIGHT TO REDISTRICT STATE

MORE THAN 500 BILLS IN

Bills by Legislators Affect Everything From Justice of Peace Court to Amending the Holy Writ.

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 28.—Despite the advice of Seldon P. Spencer and a section of the Constitution of Missouri that state senatorial districts cannot be changed at this session of the legislature, some Republican members are endeavoring to not only block all moves toward a new constitution, but all remedial legislation offered for this session.

It is known that Senator Spencer has given it as his opinion that the state cannot be re-districted at this time, but the Senator has advised also that his opinion regarding the matter should be kept quiet because of the political effect that talk of a pill of this character will have on Republican members of the legislature.

The effort to line all Republicans against the wholesome recommendations of Governor Frederick D. Gardner is having but little effect, a number of Republican members declare.

The constitution provides that the senatorial districts be formed at the "first session of the legislature after each census and if not then by the governor, attorney general and secretary of state within thirty days after the adjournment of the session."

One of the warm fights of the session will come up over a bill providing for capital punishment in the state, introduced by Senator Von Mayes of Pemiscot county. This form of punishment was abolished by a close vote two years ago. Senator Mayes declares that some club must be held over persons sentenced to prison for life who kill for the remotest chance of escape.

More than 500 bills have been introduced thus early in the session. They affect everything from justices of the peace court to amending the Holy Writ.

Members of the House are endeavoring to find some way to clear the large number of negroes out of the cloak rooms, who are draking $3.50 per day, in order that members may get their coats and hats. The negroes were placed on the payroll by the Republican members from St. Louis.

In addition to raising enough money by indirect taxation, without raising taxes in the state, to pay an indebtedness of $2,077,356.95 Governor Gardner, Attorney General McAllister and Treasurer Middlekamp increased the state school fund approximately $800,000.

Secretary of State Sullivan is planning to make it mighty hard for automobile thieves. He is working on a number of bills which will reduce such thefts to the minimum. He says that when the measures are provided they will have about the same effect on car thieves as the Anti-Horse Thief Association did on horse thieves.

The old cry of mismanagement of the state penitentiary has not come up at this session of the general assembly and there has been no shortage in the earnings of that institution regardless of the claims made by friends of the contract system at the last session. A report by W. R. Painter, J. Kelly Pool and Henry Andrae, who compose the prison board, shows that regardless of the increased cost of foodstuffs and the raise in pay for guards during the past two years there is a surplus of $147,740.43. The commission has also had six gangs of convicts working on the highways of the state.

In the state oil department Omar D. Gray has not only increased the fees considerably, but he has caused the gasoline agents to give full measure by having his deputy inspectors to drop in on them and test their measuring guages.

Notice

My office in the Farmers Trust Building over Kessler's Hardware Co., will open March 1st. Until then may be found at my residence, 515 S. Market St. Phones, Farmers 239; Hanamo 418½.

REPRESENTATIVE JOB'S PLAN

Proposal to Have Semi-Session of Legislature Each Year Discussed by St. Louis Republic.

"Representative Job's proposal to amend the Constitution so as to provide for a sort of semisession of the Legislature each year instead of a whole session biennially interests us," says the St. Louis Republic. "All of the other proposals before the Legislature, bills and joint resolutions, are old straw, but here is something brand new.

"Under the Job plan, a session would be held one year and last 40 days. It would devote itself to the introduction of bills which would be engrossed and laid aside. The next year the same Legislature would get together for 60 days and act upon the bills introduced at the preceding session. No new bills could be introduced.

"As a means for securing deliberation we are prepared to admit that the scheme would work, but if an emergency of the greatest importance, the outbreak of a war, for instance, should occur in the interim between a 40-day session and a 60-day session we don't see how the Legislature could meet it without waiting a year after the 60-day session for another 40-day session and then another year for another 60-day session when the emergency could be dealt with.

"Furthermore, we do not see how any man who loves peace and privacy once in a while could wish to be a member of the Legislature under the Job plan. Think of being bombarded by suffragists, and socialists, and single-taxers, reformers in general and persons trying to get an appropriation for the solid year that must intervene between the introduction of a bill and the time when it can be passed or killed."

$22,500 FOR 100 ACRES

Wm. Myers of Pickering, Buys Wolf Farm Southwest of Maryville.

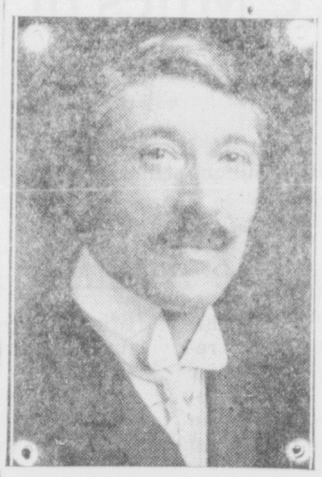
William Myers of near Pickering, yesterday purchased the 100-acre farm belonging to George A. Wolf, located three miles southwest of Maryville, the price paid was $22,500. Mr. Myers now owns two of the best improved farms located southwest of the city, having bought the Barr farm last November. Mr. Myers recently sold a farm west of Pickering, and will move to his newly acquired purchase March 1st. The sale was made by Allen Bros.

WILL AWAIT PERSHING'S RETURN

Washington, Jan. 28.—No decision on a permanent military policy for the United States will be made before General Pershing appears before the senate military affairs committee committee, it was learned this afternoon.

BERNSTORFF TO PEACE TABLE?

Berlin, via Copenhagen, Jan. 28.—Count von Bernstorff, former German ambassador to the United States and Prince Lichnowsky, former German ambassador to England will be members of the German peace delegation, it was reported today. It had previously been reported that von Bernstorff's efforts to get placed on the peace mission had failed.



Arthur M. Bienbar, well known pianist organist and composer who has charge of the advanced work at the Maryville conservatory of music in the absence of Miss Berenice Rice, who has gone to Oklahoma City, Okla., to take a similar work in the Oklahoma Musical academy.

To Move to Wyoming.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Glass and son, Frank, of Hopkins, will move this week to Carpenter, Wyo., to make their

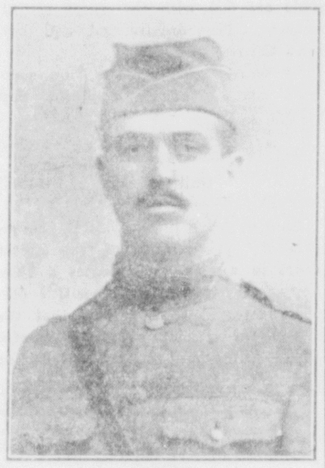
GETS HONOR CROSS

LIEUT. ROSS De ARMOND CITED FOR GALLANTRY IN ACTION

BATTLE OF CHANPAGNE

Fighting With French Unit His Organization Became Detached and With Great Difficulty Fought Way Back.

Lieut. Ross De Armond, 369th Infantry, A. E. F., son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. De Armond of Maryville, has been awarded the French Croix de Guerre for gallantry in action last September. While fighting with a French unit the organization became detached and, with great difficulty, fought its



LIEUT. ROSS DeARMOND

way back to the main body.

In the citation for the Croix de Guerre awarded the 369th, a copy of which Lieut. De Armond has sent to his parents, the French commanding general says:

"Under command of Col. Hayward, who, though injured, insisted on leading his regiment in battle, of Lieutenant Colonel Pickering, admirably cool and brave, of Major Cobb (killed), of Major Spencer (grievously wounded), of Major Little, a true leader of men, the 365th R. I. U. S., engageing in an offensive for the first time in the drive of September, 1918, stormed powerful enemy positions energetically defended, took, after heavy fighting, the town of S——, captured prisoners and brought back six cannon and a great number of machine guns."

It was Lieut. De Armond's good fortune to have a part in the battle described, being wounded on the fifth day of the offensive.

IRISH OUTRAGES CONTINUE.

London, Jan. 28.—Martial law has been proclaimed at Clongel in South Tipperary and garrisons in that town and at Oashel have been strengthened, said a dispatch from Dublin today. Organized outrages in Ireland continue and at Killigorn armed masqueraders raided houses and held up the occupants searching for arms.

SPARTACIDES IN A COUP.

Copenhagen, Jan. 28.—By a coup de etat the Spartacides at Wilhelmshaven occupied all the public buildings and all their opponents were court martialed, according to information from German today. All the railroads leading into Wilhelmshaven have stopped running.

Attends Dallas Conference.

Rev. R. C. Holliday of the Buchanan Street Methodist, went to Dallas, Tex., yesterday morning to attend a conference of the national Epworth League Conference of the M. E. Church South, which will be in session there until Thursday. Rev. Holliday expects to return Friday evening.

Charles Eckert has sold his 80 acre farm just north of Maryville, to Glen Jones. The consideration was $8,800. Possession was given immediately. The deal was made through Robey and Anderson.

ORCHESTRA DANCE

at

K. of C. HALL.

EVERY

DEATH OF AUGUSTA HELLER

Former Well Known Maryville Girl Dies at St. Joseph—Body Will Be Brought Here for Burial.

Miss Augusta Heller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Heller, formerly of Maryville, died yesterday at the home of her parents in St. Joseph. Death followed an illness of several years.

Miss Heller was twenty-three years old. She is survived by her parents, two sisters, Misses Mary and Clara Heller and two brothers, Willie and Paul.

Funeral services will be held in St. Joseph tomorrow morning after which the body will be brought to Maryville for burial in St. Mary's cemetery. The services here will be conducted by Rev. Father Odillo. Pallbearers will be Hilda Lahr, Gertrude Lahr, Vivian Buhler, Esther Buspy, Zella Basford and Therese Shonley.

WRITES FROM RHINE

INTERESTING LETTER FROM FRED MESBARGER, IN GERMANY

HUNS WELCOME YANKS

Look Upon Them Not as Conquerors But as Liberators—Tells of Nodaway County Boys with Regt.

The following interesting letter from Fred Messbarger, with the American Expeditionary Forces in Germany, gives a close up of conditions there since the armistice has been signed. His letter to the Democrat-Forum follows:

Somewhere in Germany, Dec. 21, 1918.

Wishing to keep the people of Nodaway county informed on the happenings of things in Europe as well as the whereabouts of many of the Nodaway county boys who are in service over here, I take this means through the mediumship of your paper.

Everybody over here is certainly glad the war is over and fighting has ceased, but honestly, I believe we are kept about as busy now as we were during actual hostilities. Have been on the march since Thanksgiving and since that time have traveled through part of France, Luxemburg, Belgium and part of Germany—what is known as the Rhineland province.

In travels we had ample opportunity to study the devastated country of France and Belgium. We saw miles of trenches, barb wire entanglement, dugouts and vast mine fields, numerous towns torn and devastated by both German and Allied shell fire. We also observed vast quantities of war booty, guns, trucks and war materials worth millions of dollars. All along the road from Metz to the German frontier were scattered Hun helmets and gas masks.

We were billited in towns all along the way, which was one of the conditions of the armistice. In Belgium and Luxemburg we were given a royal welcome and the people had constructed ornamental arches in all the towns with numerous flags, banners and decorations.

Have been almost two weeks in the enemies' territory and have slept in their houses and eaten at their tables, thus having opportunity to study the attitude and conditions of the people. The great change that has come over the German people in the last month is marvelous. A little over a month ago we were engaged in the death struggle with these people; now they are once more engaged in the ordinary routine of affairs, and have begun to look at the Americans not as their conquerors but as their liberators.—liberators from autocratic power.

Before American entrance into the great war, Germany looked upon the United States as the nation of only business men who could not fight. The country has shown from this side of the ocean that the most powerful government is the republican government.

The most important objects obtained by the allied victory are first, that autocracy in Europe has been suppressed by the allmighty power of democracy. Many years of fighting and invasion endured by our friends, the French, are to end in victory and the retention of territory. The people of the central empire, whether they wish it or not, will be freed from autocracy that has used them for attacks and for murder and, willingly or otherwise, made rulers of themselves. That will

YELLOW PAINT CASE

ART SPEER OF RAVENWOOD ON TRIAL TODAY

TRIAL DRAWS A CROWD

Page Fite, Charged With Violating Booze Law Fails to Show Up—Bondsmen Ordered Into Court.

A jury in circuit court today began hearing evidence in the case of Art Speer, of Ravenwood, charged with paining the Platte Valley Bank at that place with yellow paint.

On October 24, last, officials of the Platte Valley Bank, on arriving at the bank in the morning, found the building, together with the windows, bedaubed with yellow paint. Later in the day Speer was arrested charged with the act. Ravenwood citizens are interested in the trial and the court room this morning was filled almost to capacity with residents of that section.

The evidence of bloodhounds used in trailing were introduced this afternoon, a representative of a St. Joseph detective agency telling of the hounds following a trail from the bank to the Speer home. The witness was given a long cross examination by attorneys for the defense.

The jury hearing the case is composed of J. A. Ford, J. W. De Witt, D. A. Appleby, Ray Strickler, Preston Curnutt, James Smith, T. J. Tobin, Tom Kane, Robert Graham, O. S. Tudder, Wilbur Hubbard and Al Heflin.

Page Fite, on a charge of violating local option law, failed to appear and a scire facias was issued for his bondsmen.

Henry Hawk on a charge of grand larceny will be tried January 31.

State against William Cable, common assault, the case was dismissed.

State vs. Clarence Hilsenbeck, violation of local option law, continued by agreement.

George Cassel on a charge of carrying and exhibiting concealed weapon, pleaded guilty and was fined $100.

Joe Fogen vs C. B. & Q. R. R. for damages, the cause was continued.

Ed Archer vs. the C. G. W. R. R. Co., was continued.

William Rinehart vs. C. F. Mitchell, contract, the cause was continued for want of service in time.

Elizabeth McCormick vs. S. H. Kemp adm. D. F. Shupe estate, appeal from Probate, the plaintiff dismisses suit.

Frank H. Roney vs. Beryl McClelland, attachment, continued for want of service.

Bernard Brady vs. Marcella Costello note, defendant files motion for continuance.

F. P. Reuillard vs. William Everhart, appeal from Justice of Peace court, continued by agreement.

William J. Linebaugh vs. William T. Humphrey, contract, cause continued.

James Blagg vs. C. B. & Q. R. R. Co., excess freight charges, was continued.

LONGAN BROTHERS HERE

George and James Longan of Des Moines, Visiting Relatives Here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Westfall and Mrs. Westfall's sister, Miss Mary Ford are entertaining their nephews, Sergeant George W. Longan and his brother, James W. Longan of Des Moines, Ia. The brothers have recently been discharged from military duty. Sergeant Longan was in the air service and his brother in the motor transport service.

Harvey Haines to New York.

H. L. Haines will leave tomorrow afternoon for New York City to purchase new spring goods for the Haines dry goods store. He will be joined Friday in Chicago by his brother, Charles S. Haines of Sabetha, Kan. and they will purchase goods for the two stores. Forest Haines of Eldorado Kan., who has always accompanied his brothers in the spring and fall buyingtrips will not be with them this year for the reason that the Eldorado store was burned late in December and he has not re-established the busintss.

Announce Birth of Son.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Butheris announce the birth of a son, Friday, January 24, whom they have named Albert John.

Returns to Pueblo.

Mrs. Miles Saunders of Pueblo, Colo., who has been visiting her father, Joseph Jackson, and others of the family,

FIVE APPLY FOR JANITOR JOB

County Court Will Make Appointments at Session Next Week—Few Applications Havve Been Filed.

The county court at their session next week will have several appointments to make. Up to today there were five applicants for the position of court house janitor. They were W. F. Moyer, Fred L. Pfeiffer, W. H. Frazee, W. E. Burr and Baker Hutson. It is understood that there are four who will file their applications before court meets Monday. A county superintendent of farm, county highway engineer county physician and title examiner are to be appointed but as yet no applications have been received.

IN A "STUNT FEST"

YOUNG PEOPLE ENTERTAIN FOR BENEFIT OF C. W. B. M.

CROWD FILLED EMPIRE

Performance Went Smoothly—Many Interesting and Enjoyable Numbers Were Presented.

That home talent productions are the most popular entertainments in Maryville was again shown last night when a crowded house was present at the "Stunt Fest" presented by the C. W. B. M. of the First Christian church under the direction of Mrs. Gretchen Myers Coen at the Empire theater.

The participants in the production were unusually well trained, there being none of the embarassing breaks often made.

The first of the numbers, all of which were equally well received, was a song, "Smiles," by eight girls in Irish costume, with Mabel Raines and Odessa Wells as soloists.

The second number, "Where are you going, my pretty maid," was an amusing little musical sketch by Frank Cummins and Mary Carpenter.

Fifteen little boys and fifteen little girls gave the third number, "I've got a sweet tooth bothering me." Laura Margaret Raines was soloist in this number.

Probably the prettiest act was the "Flashlight Chorus" in which flashlights were used with good effect in the darkened house. Eighteen couples the boys in military uniform, took part. Marie Cloud was the soloist with obligato by Mrs. Coen.

Evelyn Raines was the star of a Dutch skit, "Jeannette and her wooden shoes," She was assisted by seven girls.

"Scap" by Billy Simons was the only individual number. This was followed by "Poogie Poo" by Annette Stiwalt, with a chorus of 40 little girls.

The only non-singing act and the funniest, was "An Insane Circumstance" with Chilton Robinson and Ruth Bookman in the stellar roles.

A blackface quartet composed of Messrs. Hull, Allan, Nicholas, and Cummins received its share of the applause.

A burlesque on the Sextette from "Lucia" was a "grown-up" number by Mrs. Fred Robinson, Miss Dale Hulet, Mrs. Coen and Messrs. H. J. Becker and Hal Catterson. The sixth member was Miss Marie Reuillard at the piano Miss Reuillard was pianist throughout the program

The closing number was a grand finale, "America, I Love You," the entire company taking part, with Miss Besse Scott as soloist.

STOP TURK TERROR

ALLIES IN ULTIMATUM, DEMAND IMMEDIATE TERMINATION

TURKISH CABINETS QUITS

Government Must Restore to Greeks and Armenians All Property That Has Been Forcibly Seized.

Saloniki, Greece, Jan. 28.—The Allies have served ultimatum upon Turkey demanding immediate termination of the terrorism against Greeks and Armenians, said a Constantinople dispatch. The Twefek Pasha cabinet has resigned as a result of the entente action. The Sultan has undertaken to reconstruct a new ministry. The Turkish government has been called upon by the Allies also to restore property of the Armenians and Greeks that had ben forcibly seized.

FORMER RESIDENT DEAD

Mrs. Arthur Howard Dies With Pneumonia at Sterling, Colo.—Is a Daughter of John Busby.

Mrs. Arthur Howard, a daughter of John Busby of this city, died last night at her home in Sterling, Colo. Her death was due to pneumonia, which followed an attack of influenza.

The Howard family went to Sterling about a year ago to reside. Previous to that they lived on a farm south of the city. Besides her husband, Mrs. Howard is survived by five children, her father, two sisters, Mrs. William Wells and Mrs. Lettie Kime of Hopkins, and three brothers, David Busby, living south of the city, Edward and Elihu Busby of Maryville.

The funeral and burial will be at Sterling.

MRS. M. J. HONNOLD IMPROVING.

Undergoes Critical Operation at Augustine Hospital, Chicago.

Mrs. M. J. Honnold of this city who is at Augustine hospital, Chicago, being treated for a complication of troubles, underwent an operation last week which has proved successful and her condition at present is very good. Mrs. Honnold in company with her daughter, Mrs. George P. Bellows, went to Chicago about two months ago to be with her son, Dr. Fred C. Honnold of Chicago. The operation was one upon the alimentary tract and relatives and physicians anticipate that it will bring material improvement in Mrs. Honnold's health which has been precarious for some time.

FOOD BILL WILL GO THROUGH.

Washington, Jan. 28.—Both the senate and the house this afternoon adopted the conference report on the 100 million dollar food bill to feed Europe, asked by President Wilson.

DEMANDED THEIR JOBS BACK.

Winnipeg, Jan. 28.—Alin Swerchaus was chased about the city and was forced to kiss a union jack, an employment company's offices were smashed and several companies were forced to promise that aliens be discharged with in three days by Canadian soldiers just returned who found their jobs filled by aliens.

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Wednesday; temperature above normal for several days.

Basket Ball

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For Township Colelctor.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of collector of Polk Township, subjejct to the decision of the Republican convention.

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For Township Collector.

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For Township Assessor.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of assessor of Polk township subject to the action of the Democratic township convention.

ROBERT ALEY.

For County Superintendent of Schools.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of Bert Cooper for County Superintendent of Schools of Nodaway County, subject to the action of the voters at the election to be held Tuesday, April 1.

THE FALL IN FOOD PRICES.

(By W. C. Van Cleve.)

Next to the consummation of a peace agreement, the thing that now concerns the people of this country is the high cost of living. With hostilities apparently at an end, the dollar of today has a purchasing power of not more than fifty cents as compared with a few years ago. Prices are still mounting to unheard of altitudes, wages are higher than ever known in this country and the surplus food supplies are the greatest we have ever had.

Around the latter fact hangs an interesting situation. Labor leaders declare that wages can not be reduced without ruination to laborers until the price of living is reduced. Manufacturers generally declare that, since labor is the principal item in the cost of practically all raw and finished materials, prices will not fall until wages fall. Food distributors declare that food prices can not be reduced until they can buy cheaper. Here we have a complete circle and you can run around the circle to your heart's content without seeing much hope of immediate relief.

Statistics show that in the matter of wheat, meats, lards, etc., there is a tremendous surplus on hand. There is a great accumulation of sugar in Java, there are stores of rice abroad and so on as to other articles. In the matter of meats, for instance, on January 1, 1919, there was in storage in this country 339,221,000 pounds of frozen beef, lamb and pork more than there was one year ago. The amount of lard on hand at the beginning of this year was 103,965,334 pounds against 51,875,806 on January 1, 1918, or a gain of more than one hundred per cent. Then, you ask, why do not these things become cheaper at once? The answer is Government price control.

The writer never did believe, and does not yet believe, that the far reaching powers and complicated machinery given to the food administration were necessary, but that has nothing to do with this discussion. The food administration has accomplished many good things and, granting that all was essential to the proper conduct of the war, the situation that we now find ourselves in shows plainly that the Government must get out of the price-fixing and food control business in peace times before there can be any great reduction in the prices of the principal table supplies.

As was stated in the beginning, according to the statistics and the admissions of interested parties, there is a big surplus of certain products, but it is not in the hands of the consumers nor in the hands of the retailers. The wheat has been bought up by the purchasing corporation organized under the food administration. It has been the sole purchaser practically because the Government guaranteed the price of wheat and this company sold all the wheat that was sold from this country to the allied nations, so there was no other purchaser of consequence. The Government holds this wheat in elevators. It is not now worth in the markets of the world the price it brings in this country, and England and other foreign nations are now exercising their right to turn to Australia and Argentine for cheaper wheat. During the war they could not get wheat from there because of the difficulties of transportation. If the Government of the United States permits its wheat to be sold in competition with the world, it stands to lose a great amount of money. It stands to lose more than a billion dollars any way because it has guaranteed a price of $2.26 per bushel for the 1919 crop and, from present prospects, it will be a big one.

In order to stimulate the production of meats, the packers were required to pay certain prices for beef and pork on foot and the packers naturally hold that there was an implied contract involved to protect them against loss. They have so much meat on hand now that Louis Swift, testifying before the Interstate Commerce of the House, Wednesday, declared that the reduction of one cent a pound on pork alone would cause his firm alone to lose $2,500,000 on this one item.

The War Trade Board and the War Industries Board also took a hand. Men were not allowed to import certain products except by license. The handling of sugar is delegated to the Sugar Equilization Board, incorporated, and importations outside of this board are yet impossible and as late as January 14, of this year, the following announcement was made:

"The War Trade Board announces that hereafter licenses for the importation of sugar will be issued only to the Sugar Equalization Board (Inc.) or its nominees." The Sugar Equalization Board contracted with the Cuban cane growers to pay them 5.5 cents per pound with the understanding that there would be no transportation facilities furnished to more remote parts of the world. This enabled them to lay sugar down at the refineries in this country at 6.9 cents on top of which the Equalizing Company takes 3.8 cents. So long as this arrangement is protected by the War Trade Board and the food administration, it is not possible to take advantage of cheap sugar in Java. The War Trade Board still restricts the importation of rice into this country. Tin plate, which is largely used in food containers, is selling in London at 55 cents a pound but, through the operations of the War Trade Board, it can not be purchased in this country at less than 72 cents per pound. These are only a few illustrations showing the difficulty in getting back to a pre-war basis.

The farmer can not object to a guarantee of $2.26 per bushel for his wheat while it is selling in Argentine for $1.29 and in Australia for $1.14. He can not object to $1.23 per bushel in Chicago for his corn while Argentine corn brings only half that sum, nor can he object to the same conditions as to rye, oats and other products. The sugar beet raiser of the west and the cane grower in the south are glad the Government has guaranteed the price of their products, and the stock raiser will endorse the acts of the Government in keeping up the prices of live stock. It makes times good for the producers and for the tradesmen in their communities. But the Government has either to compel the sale of these things at a corresponding price or suffer a tremendous loss which must be made up in taxes and bond sales while the consumers in other lines of endeavor continue to battle with the high cost of living. The Government can not hold on indefinitely and it can not let loose suddenly without paralyzing many lines of business. Some means must be found for a gradual adjustment so that things will gradually seek their proper level without harm to any class of producers. Until then, the dollar will remain as nearly void of purchasing power as it has ever been in this country.

WRITES FROM RHINE

(Continued from page 1)

the greatest and finest thing about the demonstrated power of a great republic is what it means for the future.

The people of America have learned to use their power. They realize that they have; there is a great wealth force that can be released for good in any direction that may suit the people. They know that the nation, with an income of fifty billion a year, has no excuse for swamps and deserts in its territory, and above all they know that it has no excuse for miserable poverty and social injustice.

All the boys from Nodaway county who are in the 89th Midwest Division are getting along fine and all are located only a few kilometers from Bitburg which is the headquarters of the 3rd American army. Perry White Burlington Junction is still as fat as ever. Bansbock and Heekan of Conception who are in headquarters company, are still in the game. George Arnold of Parnell is still in C. Battery.

You may be interested in the price of foodstuffs over here and I mention a few articles: Eggs, 12 marks per dozen; apples, 5 marks a pound; chicken, 10 marks each; pork, 5 marks per pound; milk, 4 marks per gallon; butter, 10 marks per pound. According to the latest money rating a mark equals about 15 cents of our money.

Don't know how long we will be kept over here but hope the day wont be long before we set foot upon dear old U. S. A. It sure will be good to get back again. Hoping this finds the people back in Nodaway county all O. K., as it leaves me with best wishes I remain, Yours truly,

PVT. FRED MESSBARGER,
Battery B, 342 F. A., A. E. F.

BOY SCOTTS ARE CITY'S GUEST

No Better Insurance for Fine Manhood Than Investment in Boy Scouts Says Prominent Kansas Citian.

Maryville business men are trying to raise an annual fund of $500 for the Boy Scouts to enable them to carry out the Scout program together with its activities during the coming year and have secured about $350. It is urged that those who have not been seen by the committee and who desire to have a part in the work for the boys leave their names as members of the Council with the treasurer, Geo. B. Baker at the Real Estate Bank, or with the secretary, A. M. Crooke, at the Democrat-Forum office.

In this connection the following concerning the work of the Scout organization by Burris Jenkins, prominent Kansas City minister and editor and publisher of the Kansas City Post; is of interest. Says Mr. Jenkins in a recent issue of the Post:

The Boy Scouts are soon going to make a campaign for funds to keep up their order. There is no more important enterprise to this community than the fostering of the Boy Scouts. They are the future of the country. To keep them, at their most impressionable age, profitably employed, ambitious to be clean and strong obedient, disciplined and faithful, is a great public undertaking.

Most of us older men had no such institution as the Boy Scouts to shape our early youth. We played unorganized and undisciplined games—marbles and tops and sixty-out in the woods; we played wild Indian and cowboy; we made ragamuffin armies with oak swords and daggers stained with poke berry juice, and sometimes we damaged each other considerably with these implements of mimic war.

Others of us were brought up in the alleys; we formed gangs and fought. The hut dwellers and cottage dwellers were against the aristocracy who lived in two-story brick houses. We sneaked out at nights; we had nickle novels in the hayloft. We read what was not good for us and did what was harmful to us. The Boy Scouts would have been a God-send.

Sometimes the world grew very dark to us boys. It seemed as if everybody was against us and we were Ishmaels. Then we ran away to the freight yards or the river bank, or we even beat a ride out into Kansas. We slept in haymows and starved, and after days of homesickness, broken pride and damaged self-respect, we came creeping back home and tried to be good a while. There was no end to our high spirits and effervescence, but there was no such fine, clean way of blowing off steam as is furnished by the Boy Scouts.

A boy at the Scout age is a pathetic creature. Nobody knows the longings of his soul. Nobody but himself can understand what tempests are going on within him, and he himself does not know what the tempests are. He only knows they are there. Discontent, yearnings, indefinite and nameless forces are struggling within him. Undirected, he may turn out a liability to the community. Wisely guided and understood, he may become an invaluable asset. There is no other possession quite so valuable to this town as that pathetic boy of 11 or 12 years of age. Look into his face and see there a sunrise unclouded or lowering with storm. It is the community which is responsible for the outcome of his life.

Boys need sympathy and understanding. That is not to say they want to be coddled and slobbered over. What they want is to be trusted, given things to do, believed and understood. At a certain secretive age they keep their inner lives to themselves. They have the right to be respected in their reticence. They should have their secrets, their wooderaft, their furtive withdrawals, and one who bursts upon this retirement of the young soul is an interloper and a vandal. They have their vivid imaginings. They see pictures and dreams and tragedies in which they figure as the heroes. Repressed and shamed in this solace of imagination, they become embittered and hardened and disillusioned before their time. Allowed to range in the woods and fields, in highways and byways, actually or in fancy, their souls are fed with the sweet air of romance. They are living it and they have the right to live it.

No better insurance for fine manhood than investment in the Boy Scouts.

Communication.

Guilford, Jan. 27, 1919.

Editor Democrat-Forum.

In your issue of Jan. 24th, you report the proceedings of the circuit court in a way that creates a false impression and does me positive personal injury. I know now that the emigration officials were not careful in providing me with my papers on arrival in this country, but so far as that I did all I was asked to do by the officials and as for my conduct since my arrival, the people in the vicinity in which I live will vouch. It is my opinion that if more care were exercised by reporters in such cases, far less injustice would be done.

Please correct this matter by publishing this letter. Very truly,

HANS PETER LARSEN.

Following is the item Mr. Larsen has reference to:

"Hans Peter Larsen was denied application, it being shown that he had not complied with the laws of the non-compliance with law, I will say country on arrival in the United States."

Charged With Destroying Property

Henry and Charles Reed were arrested this morning by Sheriff Dowden on a charge of destroying property. They were indicted by the grand jury. Their trial was set for February 1. They are charged with chopping the floor in the John Pierpoint residence.

Trunks 25 cents, Packages 15 cents. Call Hanamo 406. 28-29*

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And if YOU are NOT, who loses?

We know that it is YOU because YOU don't know the appetising quality of our meats, for

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30c and 60c jars; hospital size $2.50.

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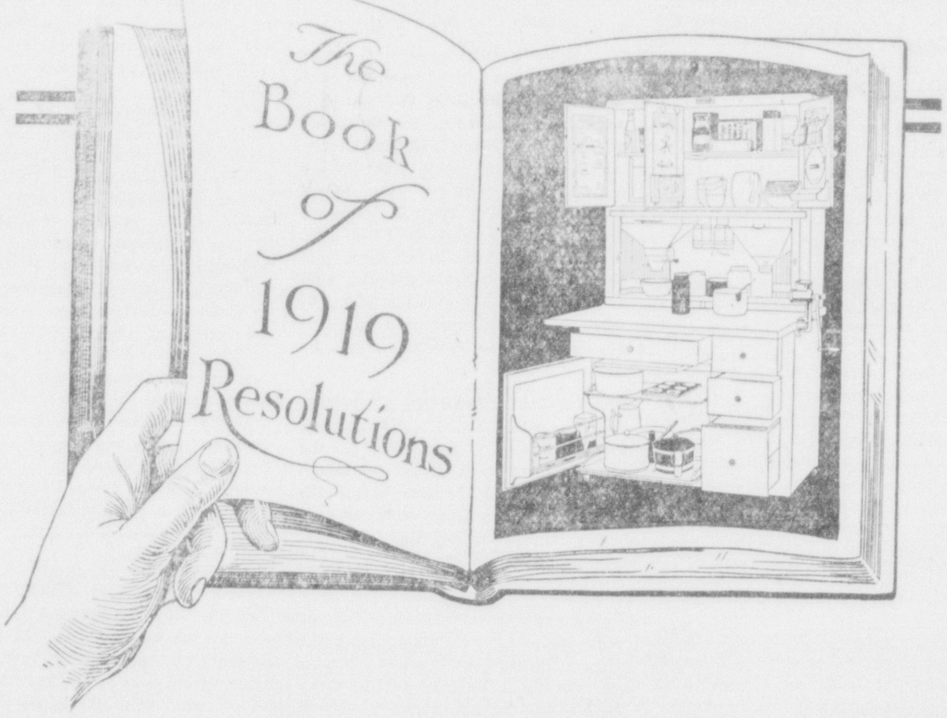

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Every Home Needs a Hoosier

Every woman should make this 1919 resolution: That a work-reducing and time-saving Hoosier must be added to her home equipment; that she will no longer countenance the drudgery of kitchen work without it.

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SOCIETY and CLUBLAND

By KATE SCHENCK

PHONES—OFFICE 42. HOME 683

Westminster Guild Tonight.

The Westminster Guild will meet tonight at the home of Mrs. S. A. Coile on South Buchanan street.

Westminster Guild To Meet Tonight.

The Westminster Guild will meet at 7:30 o'clock tonight at the Manse with Mrs. S. A. Coile.

House Party at Burlington Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Cummine, of Burlington Junction, entertained Misses Marie Cook and Golda Pope, of Maryville, and Bert Monk and Robert Tobin, of Burlington Junction, at a week end house party at "Sunny Crest," their country home east of town.

Mrs. Wilderman Entertains P. E. O. Chapter.

Mrs. T. L. Wilderman entertained the P. E. O. Chapter Saturday afternoon at a social meeting at her home on Lawn avenue. The prize for the high score at somerset was won by Mrs. Frank Garrett. Mrs. Wilderman was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. J. B. Bailey.

Miss Griffey Entertains.

Miss Eva Griffey entertained a few of her friends at her home, northeast of Maryville, in honor of her cousin Miss Gladyce Cook, of St. Joseph. Plates were laid for Misses Mary Marshall, Gladys Lawson, Dorris and Eva Griffey, and honor guest, and Messrs. Henry Busch and Doyle King and the additional guests in the evening were Messrs. Beryl Montgomery, Ray Florea and Dewey Burch.

Entertain For Son.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Popham, living southwest of the city entertained at Sunday dinner in honor of their son, Francis M. Popham who has just returned from overseas duty.

Young Popham was wounded Oct. 6, while fighting in the battle of the Argonne Forest. Those present were Mrs. Martha Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pope, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Ripley, Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Dilts, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dilts, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Popham, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ellsworth, Misses Berd Popham, Martha Ellsworth, Violet Lent, Francis M. Popham, Paul Ware, Henry Ellsworth, host and hostess.

Complimentary to Miss Hallowell.

Miss Irene Swinford gave a dinner party Sunday noon complimentary to Miss Frankie Hallowell, who is leaving soon for Kansas City to take a position in one of the wholesale millinery houses. The table was centered with a bowl of sweet peas and plates were laid for Miss Hallowell, Mrs. Alpha Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Swinford, Miss Ina Hallowell, W. H. Swinford and the hostess.

Helwigs Entertain Dinner Guests.

Mrs. S. A. Helwig and daughters, Misses Orrel and Katherine, entertained at dinner Sunday noon complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hull, living north of the city.

Business Women Hold Merry-Making.

Thirty-six business women, members of the Business Girl's League enjoyed an indoor picnic supper last night at the High School auditorium. The supper was served at 6:30 o'clock and the evening was devoted to informal sociability. The League voted to subscribe $5 to the Armenian Relief fund. The February meeting will be held on the night of the twenty-fourth and will be a colonial party.

ARCH CARTER HOME TOMORROW

Wife Receives Message today that he Will Arrive in the Morning.

Arch Carter will arrive tomorrow morning from Jefferson Barracks, St. Louis, where he has been stationed since his arrival from over seas. Carter has received his discharge and wired his wife this morning that he would be home tomorrow.

Young Carter was severely wounded during the latter part of last August and has been in a hospital since that time. He arrived from France about three weeks ago. He went to France last spring with a company of men from Camp Funston, Kan.

COFFMAN TO MANHATTAN

Head of Alderman-Yehle Carpet Department Resigns Position.

Delmar Coffman, head of the carpet and drapery department of the Alderman-Yehle dry goods company, has resigned his position and will leave the last of February for Manhattan, Kan., to take a similar position in the L. R. Eakin store. Mr. Coffman has sold his residence property on West First street to H. P. Swinehart.

TRIAL JUDGE IN ARSON CASE

Judge L. B. Woods of Princeton Will Sit in Place of Judge Dawson.

It was announced in circuit court this morning that Judge L. B. Woods of Princeton, Mo., would sit as trial judge in the case of the state vs. Mark Adkins, charged with arson and also in the case of Clint Hewitt, charged with the larceny of hogs. The former case has been set for trial February 10, that being the earliest date on which Judge Woods will be abl to come.

Mrs. C. W. Thorpe desires to thank the ladies who so kindly remembered her on her birthday with a post card shower, and while I cannot thank you personaly, I take this means to do so, and while memory lasts a very tender feeling will be extended to all.

John McGhee of Maryville and Mrs. Francis Johnson of Kansas City, were issued a marriage license yesterday in St. Joseph.

Mrs. R. C. Holliday and son, Robert Brenckenridge, went to Litchfield, Ill., Sunday evening for a ten days' visit with relatives.

FOR SALE—Oak side board, Morris chair, Oliver typewriter and cabinet, China cabinet. Call Hanamo 4703 28-30*

600 CIVILIANS MURDERED.

Amsterdam, Jan. 28.—Russian Bolsheviki murdered three hundred civilians at Libau and a similar number at Dorpey, said a Berlin dispatch today.

COLDS

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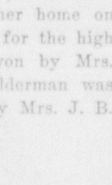

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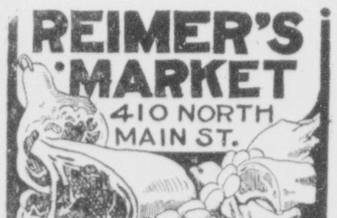

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RUSSIA BIG PRIZE

EUROPE RECOGNIZES NATION'S COMMERCIAL IMPORTANCE

ATTITUDE OF THE ALLIES

Expected To Be Clearly Defined at the Peace Conference—Germany's Hopes to Retain Influence.

London (My Mail).—Russia is the greatest commercial prize in the world. That fact is fully recognized by British business men and statesmen. Russia, torn by class warfare, has shown itself incapable of going forward from the elementary stages of revolution toward democratic progress, due, in part, to malign German influences. Russia will need considerable foreign encouragement and material help to get her on her feet as a nation. In this process there are great commercial possibilities for foreign interests.

The Allies' attitude toward Russia is expected to be clearly defined at the Peace Conference. In brief, it will be designed to prevent, if possible, German domination of her eastern neighbor, either politically or commercially, and to assure to Russia of full support by the Allies in reconstruction.

This brings the Allies face to face with the puzzling problem of their future attitude toward the Bolshevik government, against which Japanese, British, French and American forces are operating. When I brought this conviction to the attention of Lord Robert Cecil, British Assistant Foreigh secretary, he stated:

"The Allies' position toward the Bolshevik government is this: We have never been at war with the Bolsheviks as a system of government. We merely have been opposing those forces in the Bolshevik government which have been assisting Germany. In the event of peace with the central empires the necessity of continuing further force against the Bolsheviks would disappear. Then the position of the Allies toward the Bolsheviks remains one which the Allies will have to examine and determine."

Germany hopes to retain her sphere of influence in Russia, as developed by the war, no matter what comes, according to Lord Robert.

"Besides denuding Russia of supplies and essential materials, Germany has instructed her armies of occupation to take all weapons from the population, so the people cannot even defend themselves," he said. Conditions are so disorganized in Russia that some sort of protection will be needed by the people, especially in the west. Germany hopes that her social organization will not go to pieces before the war ends and, being nearest to Russia, confidently expects to be the nation that will furnish an adequate policing force for Russia."

The three nations expected to vie in establishing commercial advantages in Russia are Great Britain, Germany and the United States, the chief rivalry being between Great Britain and Germany. The United States is expected to have practically a free field in marketing farm machinery, automobiles and the like.

Mesopotamia is a moneyless country. There is no need of money. The people pay no taxes or tribute. Wheat, fruit and skins are the only medium of exchange.

GOODBY, WOMEN'S TROUBLES

The tortures and discomforts of weak, lame and aching back, swollen feet and limbs, weakness, dizziness, nausea, as a rule have their origin in kidney trouble, not "female complaints." These general symptoms of kidney and bladder disease are well known—so is the remedy.

Next time you feel a twinge of pain in the back or are troubled with headache, indigestion, insomnia, irritation in the bladder or pain in the loins and lower abdomen, get a well tried, quick and sure relief in GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. This old and tried remedy for kidney troubles and allied derangements has stood the test for hundreds of years. It does the work. Calms and troubles vanish and new life and health will come as you continue their use. When completely restored to your usual vigor, continue taking a capsule or two each day.

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If you need a first class loan we are in a position to make you exceptionally inviting terms.

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Chas. E. Stilwell, Mgr.

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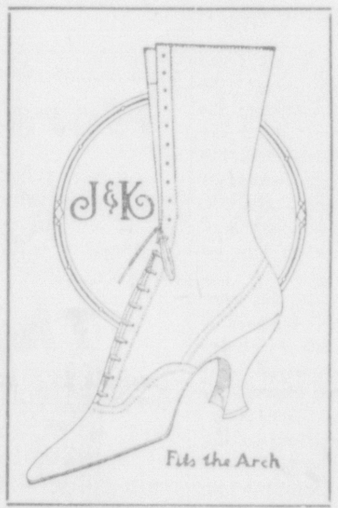
Beginning Wednesday, Jan. 29

Our stock is unusually heavy due to the flu epidemic, and we must make room for our spring shoes.



Broken and discontinued line of women's fancy dress shoes. Not all sizes in anyone style, but YOUR size in some style.

A few pair of all leather, gray both Military and Louis heel, $12.00 grade at - **$9.35**

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Light and dark gray and brown cloth top to match, $8.50 grade at - - - - **$6.35**

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One lot women's patent leather button and lace $4.50 to $6.50, grades at - - - **$3.65**

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Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

Those prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

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FOR SALE—Hantze property at 509 East Third St.. 6 room house in good condition. Modern except furnace. Priced to sell. See G. F. Hantze, Adm., Pickering, Mo., or J. M. Hantze, 516 N. Buchanan St. 22-28*

FOR SALE—Choice 5 3-4 acre place, good house, barn and out buildings, at west end of West Cooper St. C. E. Ballenger. 22-31.*

FOR SALE—4 head of good yearling mules. Walter Dickie, 5019 Farmers' phone. 25-31*

FOR SALE—A young male calf, a nice big one. Mrs. Elege Bredenbeck, Maryville, Mo. 25-28*

FOR SALE—Two Boston terrier bull pups; house broke. F. P. Reuillard. 29

FOR SALE—259 acres near Burlington Jct. Will give possession March 1st This is a real bargain. Geo. B. Baker at Real Estate Bank. 30

FOR SALE—Two fat hogs, weight about 175 pounds. W. L. Ruddle, Hanamo phone I-KL. 29

FOR SALE—Red male calf. See Bert Bratcher at Hudson & Welch, Hdw. store. 29

FOR SALE—at once. A few Buff Orphington cockerels. Mrs. Emmet Scott. Both phones. 29

FOR SALE—Pole wood, cut ready to load. All you can haul for a dollar. W. H. Bainum. Famers 37-12. 29*

FOR SALE—Top Buggy in good condition. Fred J. Auffert. 28-30*

FOR SALE OR TRADE on farm, 7½ acre tract not far from Normal; well improved, good laying land Call Democrat-Forum office 28-30*

FOR SALE OR RENT—Modern cottage, corner lot, 5 blocks from square. Vacant Feb. 1st. Farmers phone 210-11. 28-30.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Five room house; lights and water. Call Glover & Alexander. 28-30

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Girl to help with housework; small family. Mrs. A. M. Crooke 704 North Mulberry street.

See R. S. Braniger for Seeds and Feeds—Plenty of shorts, bran and oil meal on hand, alfalfa, clover, timothy and all kinds of field seeds, a specialty. Chicken chowder, oyster shell, meat scraps for chickens Tobacco, cigars, and small line of fancy groceries. Spot cash and no delivery. Will meet all competition. Thanking you for your past patronage, I hope to merit a continuance of same. R. S. Braniger. 27-29

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Call 23-0-16 Farmers. 28*

SANITARY STELIZERS—Plus electrical equipment means better service for you. We have it. The Sane-Electric, the best equipped barber shop in Northwest Missouri. Ray Protzman, under First National Bank. 29*

WANTED—Cars to store by month or week, prices reasonable. Will be man at garage day and night to look after them. See W. R. Tilson, Tilson Garage. 29*

Haines Employee Resigns.

Mrs Elizabeth Heffren Midyett, who has been employed as corsetier at the Haines dry goods store, hasresigned her position and discontinued her work there Saturday.

When leaving the state and you want your stock tested or inspected, call Dr. R. L. Wohlford, DEPUTY STATE VETERINARIAN and STOCK INSPECTOR. Hanamo 470, Farmers 160-11. Office Everhart Bldg., So. Main St.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Kansas City Jan. 28.—Cattle, 11,000; steers, $15.50@$17; cows, $6@$13. Hogs, 19,000; top, $17.50; bulk, $16.90 @$17.35.

Kansas City, Jan. 28.—January Corn, $1.32 3-4; February, $1.27 7-8; March, $1.27 5-8.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Eggs	40c
Butter fat	48
Hides, per lb	14c
Hens	22
Ducks, per lb	15c
Geese, per lb	15c
Turkeys, per lb	17c to 25c
Young Roosters per pound	18c
Old Roosters, per lb.	12c

Our Fourteen Peace Points.

1. That all restaurateurs, grocers and butchers shall be informed as expeditiously as may be that the war is over.

2. That hens be forbidden to lay 10-cent eggs, and any hen laying an egg that shall retail at more than 3 cents shall be decapitated.

3. That anybody who suggests the advisability of holding another war shall be committed to Matteawan, there to reside in a straitjacket for eighteen years.

4. That the amount of hemp in all 6-cent cigars be reduced from 60 per cent to 20 per cent.

5. That the activity of all community committees organized to save tinfoil and old hairpins to help win the war be adjourned until the next war. This also applies to committees organized to save catsup bottle corks to make life preservers for the navy.

6. That the hotel lobby and corner store experts be notified that their services are no longer needed by the government and that they be put into some useful peace employment, such as whittling full-rigged ships in glass bottles.

7. That the butter patties in restaurants shall not be cut hereafter with safety razors.

8. That the variety of feminine uniforms in this country shall be cut from 1,894 to 109.

9. That postage on business letters be reduced to 2 cents and postage on all love letters be increased to 15 cents. This will be a money-making venture for the government.

10. That when a parson or justice of the peace or alderman has married 1,200 soldiers he shall call it a day's work, and that he shall establish union hours.

11. That soap boxes be exterminated for the duration of time. Soap hereafter to be shipped in bags. Speakers will not be able to stand on soap bags and attract much attention.

12. That it be stipulated with Sweden that one out of every fourteen of the safety matches imported from that country shall strike, instead of one out of every thirty-seven, the present average.

13. That knitting needles for peace times shall not be more than eighteen inches in length when carried on street cars or used in theaters.

14. That all captured one-man tanks be returned to this country and turned over for the few pedestrians who are left, so they may negotiate street intersections safely.—Chicago Record-Herald.

School Children Hurt.

Agnes and Mamie Lutzen, the young daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lutzen of Arkoe, were both injured yesterday afternoon when the pony they were riding home from school became frightened and threw them off. One little girl suffered a broken arm and the other a dislocated shoulder.

Barometers were first made by Torrecelli in 1436.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

The first successful fire engine was built by Moses Latta of Cincinnati.

Investigation shows that the motor truck is making longer hauls for the farmer at a decreased cost as compared with horses.

Prayer Meeting Service.

Prayer meeting service at the Baptist church on Wednesday evening, it is announced, will begin at 7:15 o'clock.

Kansas Pastor Here.

R. V. Hughes, pastor of the First Christian church at Peabody,, Kan., is visiting in Maryville with his mother, Mrs. J. M. Hughes, and other relatives.

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ASK FILM CENSOR

LEGISLATORS TO URGE CREATION OF STATE BOARD

PROVISIONS OF THE BILL

Would Pass on All "Movies" Exhibited in the State—Other Bills Introduced in the House.

Creating of a State Board of Censors to pass on all moving picture films sold, leased or exhibited in the state is provided for in a bill introduced in the House by Representative Hackett of Pettis county and Ferguson of Ripley, as House bill 327.

The bill provides for appointment of a board of three by the Governor, two men and one woman, who must be "well qualified by education or experience," and who shall serve for three years. They must furnish a bond and will receive salaries as follows:

The chairman $3,000 yearly, vice-chairman $2,500, and the secretary $2,400. In addition to the three salaried members of the board, there is to be one chief clerk at $1,800 a year, two stenographers at $1,000 a year, two inspectors at $1,500 each,one operator at $1,400, another operator at $1,000, an assistant operator at $750, another at $400 and such other employes as are needed and are approved by the Governor. In addition the censors are to be paid their expenses and are to have headquarters provided for them in Jefferson City. The moving picture man must pay a fee of $1 for each film passed upon. The board also is given authority to pass on all film posters and advertising.

For failure to submit a film to the censors a penalty of not to exceed $300 fine, or sixty days in jail, or both, is provided.

Representative O'Brien of St. Louis has introduced a bill to amend the hours of labor act by limiting the length of time that female labor can be employed in factories, stores, restaurants and places of amusement to eight hours a day, except in the case of canning factories in rural communities, which are given a 90 day exemption each year.

Other bills introduced in the house were by Representative Chambers of St. Clair, forbidding circuit and prosecuting attorneys to engage in civil practice, and prohibiting candidates from soliciting votes on election day; by Coon of Jasper county, authorizing mayors of cities of 10,000 or over, or city councils to levy an excise fund tax and the bill to regulate the liquor traffic under the dry amendment, or "bone dry bills" introduced by Norman of Stoddard county, and three school bills drafted for the State Teachers' association; a bill by Tricsler of St. Louis, raising the coroner's salary in that city to $5,000.

The House has voted that a committee of five be appointed to inspect the Supreme Court docket and report on the need of continuing the supreme court commissioners.

1,500,000 MEN KILLED

France Has Lost an Equal Number of Wounded.

New York, Jan. 28.—France in four years of conflict to preserve her own liberty and that of the world, according to Andre Tardie, French high commissioner to the United States, has lost 1,500,000 men killed and almost as many wounded. America owes France a debt of gratitude not only for this great sacrifice, but also for the reported saving of thousands of lives in this country due to the discovery by French peasants of a perfect remedy for stomach and intestinal ailments, the ingredients of which are imported from France by Geo. H. Mayr, a leading Chicago chemist who sells it in America under the name of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.

For sale by Maryville Drug Co., and druggists everywhere.

TEXTILE WORKERS TO STRIKE.

Lawrence, Mass., Jan. 28.—A nation wide walkout of textile workers after eight hours of work on February 3 was threatened today Hundreds of thousands of mill operatives will be affected. The workers are demanding a forty-eight hour week with a continuance of the present wage given for fifty-four hours of work.

GERMANS AND POLES BATTLE.

The Hague, Jan. 28.—German troops in Posen province have recaptured Schoenlanke from the Poles after a furious battle, said a dispatch from a German source today.

ROYALIST UPRISING FAILS.

London, Jan. 28.—The Royalist uprising in Portugal has failed completely, according to the latest news the Chronicle stated today.

TO RESTRICT IMMIGRATION

Wasington, Jan., 28.—A majority of the House immigration stands committed today to prohibition of immigration to the United States for the next four years. The purpose is to prevent a rush of immigration from the war devastated countries.

The Y. M. C. A. was founded in England by Sir George Williams, a London merchant. Williams' organization grew out of meetings he held for prayer and Bible reading among his fellow workers in a dry goods business in the city of London, and was founded in 1844.

To ascertain approximately in how many years a sum will double itself at compound interest, one has only to divide sixty-nine by the interest rate.

"Personal magnetism" is that sympathetic personal quality which attracts or interests.

Trunks 25 cents, packages 15 cents. Call Hanamo 406. 28-29*

STATEMENT OF PLAN SOON.

Paris, Jan. 28.—President Wilson's League of Nations plans will be forthcoming within a day or two. It will be in form of a statement from the "Parisian White House" or to be outlined in detail by some American member of the delegation, probably Colonel House.

FLY ATLANTIC IN AUGUST.

London, Jan. 28.—Proposed trans-Atlantic airship flight is now set for August according to plans revealed today. Voyage will be made from Spain to Buenos Aires. It will take four days and there will be about fifteen on board.

Copnhagen, Jan. 28.—M. Lenine, Bolshevist premier in Russia, has gone to Yamburg where he ordered the Reds to recapture Narva and to massacre most of the population, it is reported from Reval.

The amount of light given by a single lightning flash is sufficient to illuminate an area two miles square with an average illumination of one candle. To produce such an illumination an eminent electrician estimates the expenditure of 13,000 horsepower for one second would be required.

It takes a powerful locomotive drawing a train of ten passenger carriages a distance of five miles to reach a speed of sixty miles an hour on a straight and level track. The brakes will stop the train in 700 feet.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Casteel of Ravenwood arrived in Maryville yesterday for a visit with Mr. Casteel's sisters, Mrs. Preston Seafers, Mrs. Cooper Gooden and Mrs. Robinson Craven.

Factory Retreads Don't Come Off.

Because They Are Cured When Put On.

Factory retreading consists in actually rebuilding a tire from raw rubber onto a good fabric. This practically makes a new tire out of the old one, but the cost is less than half of that of a new tire There is no question about it being profitable to the car owner, even if the rebuilt tire only wears half as long as a new one—therefore making it a more economical tire.

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Horse and Mule Sale

I will offer the following described Horses and Mules at Public Auction to the highest bidder, at my farm, known as the Wm. Cawood farm, 1-4 miles west of Cawood, 4 miles S. W. of Guilford, 4 miles east of Bolckow, 16 miles north of Savannah on the C. G. W. railroad, on,

Thursday, Feb. 6

Sale to commence at one o'clock or immediately after train No. 54 goes through Cawood. Trains will be met at Cawood on the C. G. W., and at Bolckow on the Burlington road.

Sale will be over in time that people can leave Cawood on train going either north or south.

SIX HORSES—One span of coming 4 year old bay mares, weight 2,400; one span of coming 4 year old bay mares, weight 2,500; one span of coming 3 year old bay mares, weight 2,000 pounds. These horses are all broke to work and are in first class condition.

FORTY MULES—These mules range in age from 3 to 6 years and are all broke to work. They have been in the feed lot about 55 or 60 days and are in good condition.

TERMS—Cash, or a credit of six months will be given purchaser giving bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest. Nothing to be removed until terms are complied with.

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PUBLIC SALE

As I am going to move to an adjoining county, I will sell at the J. H. Eckles farm, four miles west and 1½ miles south of Maryville, on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 30

beginning at 10:30 o'clock, the following property:

6 HEAD OF HORSES — A black horse, 3 years old, weight 1400 lbs; sorrel horse, 4 years old, weight 1400 lbs; 1 pair of roan mares, 7 years old, weight 2700, bred to jack; two 2-year-old horse colts.

9 HEAD OF COWS—1 Jersey milch cow, the rest are Polls and Shorthorns; most of these cows will be fresh early, one or two possibly by sale day.

66 HEAD OF HOGS—7 extra good brood sows, 1 with pigs by side; 58 fall shoats; 1 thoroughbred Poland-China male hog.

SHEEP—90 head Western Ewes bred to lamb in March. 8 dozen S. C. Rhode Island Red hens.

IMPLEMENTS—Gang plow, riding cultivator, McCormick binder, Champion mowing machine, Osborne hay rake, 2 sweep rakes, hay stacker, wagon.

GRAIN—200 bushels of corn, 300 bushels of oats of 1917 crop, 12 to 15 tons of timothy hay, 3 tons of clover hay, some wild hay; 8 tons of baled oats straw and some oats straw in stack. I intend to bale some of this hay by sale date. About 8 dozen S. C. Rhode Island Red hens and some cockerels.

TERMS—$10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

Lunch by Lasher Red Cross.

R. P. HOSMER, Auct.
Joseph Jackson, Jr., Clerk. **J. W. KNEPPER**

Closing Out Sale

Having decided to leave the state, will sell at public auction on the John Halasey place 6½ miles northwest of Maryville and 2 miles east and ½ mile north of Wilcox, on

MONDAY, February 3

Sale starts at 10 a. m.

4 HEAD HORSES AND MULES—1 pair mules coming 5 years old, weight 3000 lbs, well broke; 1 bay mare 8 years old, weight 1200; 1 gray horse 5 years old, weight 1350.

13 HEAD CATTLE—6 head good milch cows; 1 will be fresh by date of sale, balance to freshen soon. This is an extra good bunch of milkers. 2 coming 2 year old heifers, heavy springers; 4 head spring calves, fat enough for butchers and fall calf.

17 HEAD OF HOGS—5 brood sows, 1 due to farrow last of January, balance 1st of April; 12 head late summer pigs.

IMPLEMENTS—1 Peter Schuttler wagon; 1 low wagon and rack; 1 buggy, good as new; hog oiler; disc cultivator; endgate seeder; corn sheller; hog trough; grindstone; water tank; disc harrow; about 150 bushels corn, and some household goods, and other things not mentioned.

TERMS—All sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount purchaser must give bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Nothing to be removed from permises until settled for.

Lunch by ladies of Ireland Industrial Club.

R. P. Hosmer, Auct.
J. D. Richey, Clerk. **E. J. SEIPEL**